Larkin Road ... Halfway between airport and U.S. Hwy. 84W



Fallen Tree On Smith Avenue...Large tree did not quite miss house causing severe structural damage

DA asking for help

The District Attorney's Office in

neighboring Covington County is

asking for help from area residents

in recovering items taken in a

recent Covington County burglary.

An Andalusia resident, Paula

Annette Coleman, 31, has been

arrested for the July 29, 1998,bur-

glary and theft that occurred at the

residence of Jan and Marc

Coleman is charged with taking

several items of jewelry, clothing,

and personal items having a com-

bined value of over \$42,000,00. At

employed as the McIntyres' maid

and was the only person who had

When the theft was discovered,

the Covington County Sheriff's

Department was notified. Sheriff's

investigators and officers with the

Red Level Police Department ques-

tioned Coleman and she admitted

to taking the property form the

McIntyres. Several of the stolen

items were recovered from

At this time, several of the stolen

items of jewelry have not been

recovered. In particular, the follow-

\*One (1) 2 carat diamond band consisting of 5 rows of roundcut

\*One (1) 2 carat round diamond

\*One (1) platinum and gold wedding band consisting of a gold

stripe on each edge and a platinum

band in between decorated with

designs
\*One (1) 2.5 carat baguette rib-

fashion swirl ring with baguettes

with braided rope edges

\*One (1) 2 carat round diamond

\*One (1) 3 carat tennis bracelet

A reward of up to \$3,000.00 is

being offered by the victims for the

successful recovery of any or all of

contact the Covington County

Sheriff's Department or the District

Attorney's Office at (334)222-

McIntyre in Red Level.

access to the house.

Coleman's residence.

ing items are still missing:

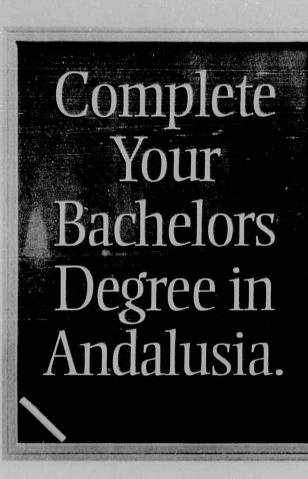
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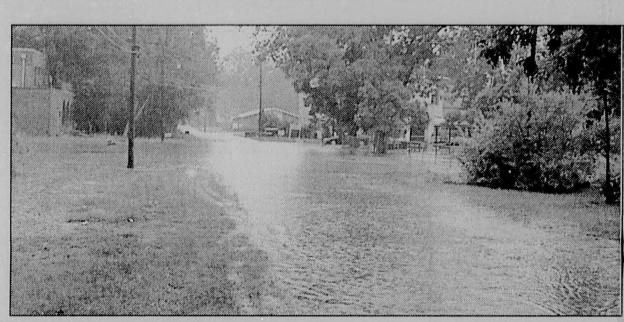
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Moore Street...Looking south behind The Peoples Bank



Claxton Ave. - Davis St. intersection...A police car was stationed at this intersection to slow motorists down coming through deep water



Putnam Street...Looking west in front of the old Coffee County Jail



Collier Street ... Looking east form The Peoples Bank toward Anyone with information should SouthTrust

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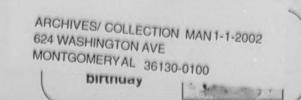
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# Elha Clipper

Volume 102, Number 11 50 Cents

Elba, Alabama

Thursday, August 27, 1998

### Elba's buy-out meeting failed to give any solutions to problem

On Monday night of this week the

Elba City Council made two board

tions and denied two legal claims

step in getting prepared for E-911

service, but it will also be helpful

that the airport authority terms of

will expire soon and both men have

term if it was the council's wishes.

Grimes also presented the council

pital nor residents of the nursing home.

nightmare - a thunderstorm.

extended power outages.

General manager Ed Short.

long for our switchboard to light up.

through to report their outages have

FIREMEN RESPOND to a fire alarm at the Elba General Hospital and

point. The repairs were made within 24 hours and everything was back to

and leave hundreds of consumers provides a quick and easy way for

without power. The cooperative our customers to report outages. We

switchboard lights up, and there can handle up to 48 calls at one time

aren't enough phone lines to handle so the number of busy signals is

results are frustrated consumers and "In addition, by matching phone

But Covington Electric we can easily identify and isolate

Cooperative is making reporting outage areas and quickly get crews

Covington Electric Cooperative "Finally, recorded messages

now has an automated outage sys- advise our comers of outage areas

tem which makes reporting power that have already been reported,"

phone. Consumers simply dial 1- The automated outage system at

800-239-1193. They will be Covington Electric Cooperative has

number, including area code. Then "We have been very pleased with

they simply follow the operator's its operation," said Short. "This

nstructions, according to CEC summer provided a test for the sys-

"We work very hard to minimize thunderstorms and subsequent

power outages but they sometimes power outages, and it worked well.

occur, and when they do they're We anticipate its value will also be

inconvenient," said Short. "When demonstrated this winter with the

the power goes off, it doesn't take possibility of freezing rain, ice and

Our members who cannot get Please See CEC, Page 15

prompted to verify their phone been in operation since February.

power outages as easy as 1-2-3. in the field to correct problems.

numbers with account information

the incoming calls. Oftentimes the substantially reduced.

outages as easy as dialing a tele- said Short.

group of interested people, but tions require receipts that flood followed. failed to give many the solutions insurance money was spent on Meeting attendees were given a

City council sets new sewerage rates

by Ferrin Cox, Publisher tem if it comes within 150 feet of "provide sufficient income to meet

The amount of money available at put back into the house, or receipts ticipate in the Hazard Mitigation this time for buy-outs, elevation are not available, this amount will Program (or buy-out). These very and/or house moving is limited. The be deducted from any buy-out set- simple completed forms must be federal grants are limited and slow tlement. One man said he felt that returned to the Elba City Hall within reaching places such as Elba and since he had paid the insurance pre- in the next two weeks to be included this adds to the frustrations of flood mium, he should have been able to in Phase I of the program. victims. Many expressed these con- do with it whatever he pleased, Any citizen not at the meeting cerns and criticisms of the federal without it having any affect on buy- who feels they qualify under this

Tuesday night attracted a large insurance payments. FEMA regula- get any federal funds, they must be completed form does not obligate as additional federal funds become the availability of the new fund allo-

house repairs. If the funds were not form to fill out if they want to par-

by Marvin MclLwain, Editor

A construction accident shortly before 5:00 p.m. Friday afternoon 34, of Kinston, AL was killed f earth moving equipment (a pan) e was operating.

the building and is reasonable debt service of the loan, to maintain required reserves, and to operate Two others set the rates for and maintain the systems." sewage. Residential and commer- The city can't adjust these new surplus, passed sewer rate resolu- cial rates will increase when the rates up or down without written new system is complete and in oper- consent of Rural Development, the ation for one month, probably in the federal agency which administers year 2000. Residential rates for the rural utilities services loans. place on all radio channels and tele-first 3,000 gallons will go from Councilman Winzel Gray asked if phones. He explained this is another \$6.00 to \$8.00, with an additional the city would be cleaning any \$2.00 for each 1,000 gallons of drainage ditches in the near future. water used thereafter, up to another He was told by City Clerk Donnie when there are disputes on what 3,000 gallons. The next 7,000 gal- Morrow that one had been cleaned was said by a caller or a police offi-lons residential usage will cost this week. Gray recommended

\$1.10 per thousand with no addi- another one which needed work and tional sewerage charge after that was told it was on the list for work within the next few days. Paul Morrow and James Ross Poole Commercial rates will increase City Attorney Jeff Kelley reportfrom the same \$6.00 minimum to ed two claims against the city. One agreed to serve another six- year \$14.00 for the first 3,000 gallons. was by two men and was against the Additional usage will be billed at police department for wrongful The council voted unanimously to \$1.20 per 1,000 gallons, with no arrest. Kelley recommended the

council deny the claims, which they These increases were required by did. with three resolutions relating to the with three resolutions relating to the federal guidelines to qualify Elba The second claim was a claim by upcoming \$4.2 million sewer for the \$2,279,000.00 loan to Charles Byron Stinson as the results makes it mandatory for homes and upgrade the sewer system. The of the March 8th flood. Kelley also recommended this claim be denied,

which the council did. attorney said both these ave been referred to the city's insurance carrier and he is working closely with them to docu-

ment the facts in the cases.

The company he was working or, Chamblee Dozier Service, was

rom Elba. The Elba Rescue Squad cause of death.

anyone to the program. A property available, other residents will be cations.

out. While there were a lot of agree- first phase can still pick up a copy of owner can withdraw the home right offered an opportunity to participate Another rule which irritated sev- ing nods, he was reminded that the the simple form at city hall, fill it out up to the deed signing day. in the program(s) and efforts will be The flood buy-out meeting held eral flood victims deals with flood rules are made in Washington and to and be included. Turning in the Those in attendance were told that made to notify all eligible citizens of

Kinston man killed in construction accident

laimed the life of a Kinston man. George Michael Carnley, age when he was thrown off the piece

ebuilding a dam belonging to evan Smith if the Friendship mmunity west of Danley rossroads. The dam broke during he March '98 flood and the contruction crew was in the process f reconstructing the earthen dam. Shortly, before knocking off for of the dozier service, and another employee, Donny Russell, were Carnley was working preparing to patched to the scene.

rapped underneath the piece of the victim.

he day, Royce Chamblee, owner Rescue workers prepare to transport Carnley to the hopsital while still performing CPR

cross the dam from where and fire department were dis- the scene of the tragedy indicated shut down their equipment. Upon arriving at the scene, res- the edge of the dam causing it to Chamblee noticed that Carnley cue personnel began preparing slide off down the steep embankhad not completed his last round Carnley for transport to the nearest ment and overturn. and also he didn't hear the pan medical facility. Chamblee and Chamblee stated that Carnley

excavator, and used it to lift the shortly after arriving. He had sus- said Chamblee. oan off Carnley enough to free tained severe crushing injuries in The incident was investigated

A preliminary investigation at

ving. He stated that he looked Russell had gotten Carnley free had only been working for him a across the dam and saw the piece and were were already in the few day, He also noted that he had of equipment lying on its side. process of performing CPR (car- been observing him as the operat-Chamblee and Russell made diopulmonary resuscitation) on ed the piece of equipment and he heir way across the dam to the him. Elba firemen assisted rescue really seem to know what he was overturned pan and found Carnley personnel in administering aid to doing and was doping it safely.

quipment. They ran back and got Carnley was taken to Elba for more than twenty years and nother piece of equipment, an General Hospital where he died I've never had a serious injury,"

In the meantime, Mr. Smith had The victim's body was taken to Sheriff Dale Grimes, Coffee been alerted to the situation and he Dothan where an autopsy was to County Coroner Marvin ad dialed 911 and summons help be performed to determine the McIlwain, and the Alabama Department of Forensic Science.

County Commission hears from Co. Rd. 258 again

by Marvin MclLwain, Editor

The Coffee County Commission held its evening session last Monday evening for the benefit of the "work-Nursing Home last week. The damage was confined an electrical trans- ing people;" however, they did not former and was quickly gotten under control. The electrical department cut seem to want to take advantage of the flow of electricity to the unit and firemen handled the problem from that the convenience and show up. Commissioners worked through a relatively short agenda completing

normal. At no time was there any immidate danger to patients of the hostheir task in just over an hour. Once again, Co. Rd. 258 was on the agenda. This time, Charles CEC's automated outage system Ellison questioned the commission concerning the status of the road and if a petition signed by the resi-It's every electrical cooperative's told us of the frustration, and we've dents living on the road had been Thunderstorms rumble through "Our automated outage system

received and was given to the coun- not mention deeding the county any roads are good so I'm not complainty engineer for review.

in the July meeting.

Randall Tindell, county engineer, Commissioner Lewis commented He told commissioners that he and told Mr. Ellison that he had looked that the county fully intended to fix his cousin, Blake Foley, were conover the petition and that it stated the road but that paving was not sidering starting an antique auction things that went beyond what was being considered at this time. discussed by the commissioners and When the word "ditches" was it. Foley told commissioners they James Sims in the July 26th meet- mentioned in connection with cor- had the best place around - the old

of making the road into a one-lane- no ditches! Ditches cause problems would consider renting the facility one-way road and paving it; howev- down there. We want it [water] to to him and his cousin possibly two er, Tindell told Mr. Ellison that run off everywhere!"

additional right-of-way and would next couple of weeks.

Area Happenings

AREA FOOTBALL Area high school football games scheduled

for Thursday (TONIGHT) are as follows: Elba plays Brantley in Elba;

and Kinston travels to Ariton; Games set for Friday night include: New

Brockton travels to Luverne while Zion Chapel is on the road against

CANDIDATE FAIR SCHEDULED The Coffee County Republicans

from 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. at the Enterprise Civic Center on Crawford

Avenue in Enterprise. This is an informal neet-the-candidates gathering.

RED CROSS MEETING The Elba Chapter of the American Red Cross

will meet on Wednesday, September 2, in the conference room at the Elba

Elementary School at 7:00 p.m. All members are urged to attend and

prospective members are invited to attend this very important meeting.

VIETNAM VETS MEET The Vietnam Veterans of America, Chapter

373 will hold its monthly meeting on Thursday, September 3, at the

Clayhatchee Community building. The meeting starts at 6:30 p.m. All

veterans and their families are invited to attend. For more information

All state-wide and local Republican candidates have been invited.

Thorsby. All games, unless otherwise noted, start at 7:30 p.m.

additional right-of-way.

paving of the road was not discussed After a few minutes more of dis-week. cussion, Tindell told Ellison, and the Commissioner Lewis told Foley The engineer went on to explain commissioners, that crews should be that they would consider his request that paving the road would require able to work on the road within the and that he would let him know their

over before making a recommenda- East/West Corridor. invite the public to a "Candidate Fair" Thursday, September 3, 1998,

and \$3,760 for annual maintenance. endeavor.

Donald Foley appeared before the Turning to general business, comcommission and prefaced his clean, my ditches are good, and the

recting the drainage problem along New Hope Junior High School Tindell said that the petition spoke the road, Ellison said, "Don't want Auditorium. He then asked if they nights - Tuesday and Saturday - a

Commissioner Kayo Lewis told also bring into play other considera- "Hopefully, we can build up the The next topic of discussion was tions. Those signing the petition did low side of the road and cause the El Camino East/West Ellison's property," said Tindell. four-lane traffic corridor across five The next order of business was the southern states. Locally, this corriopening of bids for an imaging sys- dor travels along U.S. Hwy. 84 tem for the probate office and finan- between Enterprise, New Brockton,

cial software for the commission Elba and Coffee County. Dale Townsend, representing the Commissioners tabled the lone Elba and Enterprise Chambers of bid on the probate office's imaging Commerce, requested that the comsystem in order to allow Probate mission join the chambers passing a Judge William A. Gammill to look it resolution supporting the El Carnino

The resolution states that the The only bid meeting the bid development of this improved infrarequest for the financial manage- structure will ensure businesses a ment software for the commission greater opportunity to succeed and office was submitted by the Data citizens better travel in Coffee Base Systems Corporation. Their County. It also asked that the Coffee bid was \$14,775.00 for the software, County commissioners continue \$7,950 for installation and training, their monetary support of this

This bid was also tabled for fur- The commissioners passed a resother review by commission office lution in support of the two Chambers of Commerce.

request by stating, "My driveway is Please See CCC, Page 15



### OPINION

### BRAINSTORMS

There was another bomb explosion of some sort Tuesday in South Africa. The last we heard, there was very little information being released on this one. It is our hope that Slick Willie doesn't launch another bombing attack as he continues the struggle to repair his image. It is not even clear that the colleges offer remedial/develop- will require continuous, higher level such training. If we do not provide students who do not require remedial factory in the Sudan was a good military target. It might be that the U. S. mental courses to about 8,000 of training in order to advance. Our remedial/developmental assistance al/developmental assistance. had some incorrect information. That would be terrible. Anyway, a South their 88,000 students. Most of these society, nationally and locally, can- to these students, our workforce 75 percent of two-year college stu-African radical Moslem group has reportedly claimed responsibility for a courses are in reading, English, and not thrive in the new economy cannot compete in the global econo- dents who receive remedial/develbomb that killed a woman, and injured dozens more, in Cape Town's pop ular Planet Hollywood restaurant on Tuesday, saying it was in retaliation dial/developmental education is to cation and training accessible to the key to competitiveness. We cannot school through the first year, earning for U.S. attacks in Sudan and Afghanistan.

High school football begins this week. Elba will travel to Brantley on they can succeed in accomplishing al/developmental assistance. Thursday night ... note we wrote Thursday night. A number of people have their educational goals. Virtually all Students attending two-year colquestioned the reason for this, and we are sure there is one, but we don't community colleges in the nation leges today are more career oriented dial/developmental education with opmental assistance to two-year colhave that answer. Suggestion ... go to the game and there is almost a guar- offer remedial/developmental assis- than ever. More than 70 percent of recent high school graduates, and, lege students? It costs each citizen antee that at least a half dozen people of authority will be there with the tance. The mission and goals of pub- two-year college students in a recent therefore, to view it as a "K-12 prob- of Alabama only \$1.49 per year to

We are writing this just before going to the meeting on the "buy-out" plan. serve. When people in the communi-Judging by the phone calls coming into our office, there will be people ty need assistance to achieve colenter the job market, or decide on a Two-thirds of remedial/developing injobs they already have. This transother than those listed as part of the Phase I group and they will be wanti- lege-level skills and competencies, career. More and more adults are mental students in Alabama's two- lates to a cost to each household in ng answers. We will not have the correct answers, unfortunately, but will two-year colleges meet that need. It returning to two-year colleges are not recent high. Alabama of only \$4.20 per year to suffer with them through all this.

Last week we had pictures of a good bit of flash flooding around Elba. Not Eighty percent of the new jobs increasingly automated and techni- returning to improve their skills in a quality workforce for the state and the four to 12 feet high stuff that moves folks out of their homes and busi- available in the next decade will cal workplace, workers who gradu- order to secure a better job, or a bet- training opportunities for all citinesses, but enough to scare a lot of us Elba folks. It is encouraging this require a minimum of two years of ated from high school only a few ter position in the job they already zens. Weigh this against the cost of week to see City of Elba crews are working on clearing up some of these postsecondary education. Eighty- years ago are likely to require reme- have. Many support families and the growing number of dependent bottlenecks and hopefully eliminating this ongoing problem. If we get to feeling real sorry for ourself, that is the time to be thankful we not among the many millions of Chinese who have lost their homes in the current flooding of that very highly populated country.

We don't pretend to understand movie making folks. There was a story in the Montgomery Advertiser this week about them making a movie about Selma, AL over in Georgia. Of course Selma folks would like for the movie beginning Monday, August 17, Hospital to Jackson's Hospital in financial aid available to traditional need to build productive careers. A to be shot there, but "it doesn't look right" to the movie makers. Of course what goes around, comes around. We recently read about a movie being incidents: three harassments, one Fight reported at Burch's Trailer dents are a far cry from those associate that the widening income gap made in Alabama and it was about New Orleans. One of the decision makers said the reason was that the Alabama site "looked more like the New erty, one property recovery, one Orleans they were portraying." As we said at the beginning, we don't criminal mischief, two assaults, one TUESDAY, AUGUST 18 - Fire tional assistance designed for adultsunderstand those folks.

Politics does make for strange bedfellows. We have heard that for years, and at no time is it more true than in the ongoing race for Governor of Alabama. Republican Fob James has gotten the endorsement of a lifelong Democratic power broker in the legislature - House Speaker Jimmy Clark of Eufaula. Clark is retiring from political office in January, so he is not worried about offending voters, but it was a surprise in this corner to hear him publically sign on with Fob. Then there is former Lt. Governor Jere Beasley, also a Democrat ... and a very visible trial lawyer, also endorsing Fob, who has vowed to pass tort reform. With Beasley disliking tort reform and Democrat candidate Don Siegelman opposing tort reform as he presided over the Senate for the last four years, us voters down here in the branchheads are left to guess at what all this means! Maybe by the time we vote in November, some Alabamians will have figured out what all this means to us as individual citizens.

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### Remedial/developmental education in two-year colleges

by Dr. Fred Gainous,

assist students in achieving college- broadest possible range of citizens, fail to assist students in achieving a grade point average of "C" or betlevel skills and competencies so including those who require remedithe skills they need to assure our

needs of the communities they al goal is to improve job skills, pre- two-year college student, both assistance to those who are attemptis vital to the welfare of our state change and/or improve their job school graduates. Most entered the help ensure, through

Elba Police Report

The Elba Police Department, medical transfer from Elba General 1998, investigated the following Montgomery, AL (10:04 a.m.); students. These working adult stugrowing number of economists indivehicle damage, two thefts of prop- Court (8:22 p.m.). child neglect, one abandoned vehi- department dispatched to a vehicle cle, and one harassing communica- on Caroline Street (2:49 a.m.);

No arrests were made during the department dispatched to a possible Traffic citations issued during the Trailer Park (8:09 p.m.). week were as follows: ten for speeding, one for tag required, three WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 19 for driving while driver's license River stage - 4.16 feet (6:26 a.m.);

are suspended, and one for expired Coffee County EMS dispatched to a Daily activity highlights for the a.m.); Rescue run to a residence on week were as follows: MONDAY, AUGUST 17 - River run to a residence on AL Hwy. 87N

Elba Nursing Home (2:07 p.m.); Coffee County EMS and Elba Rescue Squad dispatched to fire at Elba Nursing Home (2:22 p.m.); Rescue run to a residence on Powell

> THURSDAY, AUGUST 20 - River stage - 3.71 feet (6:24 a.m.); Alarm at a residence on Reese Avenue (8:07 a.m.); Coffee County EMS dispatched to Elba Villas (11:21

mobile home fire in Beaver Dam

residence on Co. Rd. 306 (7:47

Co. Rd. 114 (11:39 a.m.); Rescue

FRIDAY, AUGUST 21 -Disturbance reported on Guyton Street (2:00 a.m.); River stage 3.53 feet (6:11 a.m.); Alarm at The Peoples Bank on Hickman Avenue (7:33 a.m.); Coffee County EMS dispatched to the Senior Citizens Center in New Brockton (10:40 a.m.); Fire department dispatched to a fire in Morrow Village (3:00 p.m.); Alarm at a residence on Forest Lake Drive (3:44 p.m.); Rescue run to Evan Smith's residence in Friendship Community (4:42 p.m.); Fire department dispatched to assist rescue squad on above run (4:48 p.m.); Rescue run to a residence on AL Hwy. 125N

SATURDAY, AUGUST 22 - River stage - 3.32 feet (6:42 a.m.); Coffee County EMS dispatched to the old school building located in the Pine Level Community (7:38 p.m.); Fire department dispatched to a house fire at the intersection of Martin Luther King Drive and Reynolds Street (8:50 p.m.); Rescue dis-

patched to above fire (8:57 p.m.). SUNDAY, AUGUST 23 - Rescue run to the Victoria Community (4:14 a.m.); River stage - 3.14 feet (6:13 a.m.); Disturbance (domestic) reported in Beaver Dam Apartments

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five percent of all jobs will require dial/developmental assistance. Such year college students successfully hancellor Alabama Department skilled workers or professionals, workers are returning to two-year complete their remedial/developof Post-Secondary Education Seventy-five percent of the people colleges in huge numbers across the mental work. Those who complete working today will still be in the nation. Two-year colleges often their remedial/developmental work Each term, Alabama's two year workforce in the next decade and partner with businesses to provide are as successful academically as mathematics. The purpose of reme- unless we make postsecondary edu- my. Postsecondary education is the opmental assistance remain in

> collective economic future. pay taxes as they attend classes. citizens, and the cost of a growing

al/developmental students at two- prosperity is to ensure that all year colleges do not receive the Americans possess the skills they ciated with the K-12 educational between rich and poor will ultimateeffort. As adults, they require educa- ly hold back the entire economy. postsecondary education.

the first term. Two-thirds of two- mental education is a bargain.

lic two-year colleges reflect the sample indicate that their education- lem." The average age of today's provide remedial/developmental skills and competencies. In today's workforce several years ago and are remedial/developmental education,

> Many pay for their educational underclass, produced by increasing improvement efforts without outside poverty, drugs, unemployment and a breakdown in family life. The only Nationally, 60 percent of remedi- way to ensure continued growth and

is to assist individuals to become Most two-year college students independent and self sufficient River stage - 4.80 (6:20 a.m.); Fire who need assistance receive an averthrough training and educational age of one to one and a half hours of opportunities. Two-year college remedial/developmental instruction remedial/developmental programs a day, and complete their remediare essential to that process. In the al/developmental work by the end of final analysis, remedial/develop-

> ELBA GENERAL HOSPITAL REPORT August 18 thru August 24, 1998

time period of August 18, 1998, Driggers. through August 24, 1998. They were: William Edwards, Petty Sue Wambles, Andrea Wicker, William Richardson, Emily Twilley, W. B. Baldwin, Laura Stokes, Nell

Clemmons, Stephen Goodwin, and Persons discharged during the same time period were: Rita Sondergard, Noah Hodge, William Edwards, Charles Lee, Andrea Wicker, Petty Sue Wambles, Emily Twilley,

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stage - 4.94 feet (6:07 a.m.); Coffee (12:24 p.m.); Fire department dis-Elba General Hospital had the fol- William Richardson, Laura Stokes, County EMS made an emergency patched to an electrical fire at the lowing patients admitted during the Stephen Goodwin, and William L.

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#### Letter To The Editor

Dear Editor, Re: Religious Amendment

gious freedom. The First class status.

The First Amendment encourages How liberal of them! creates an "us versus them" mental- religion is the best policy. The political purposes. ity, breeds intolerance and encour- Religious Right, and the congress- BARBARA J. HUMMEL

Religious freedom must be guar- Iran, Iraq and Nazi Germany. teed to no one. If a follower of will they ever learn? minority faith can be deprived of his Yours very truly, or her religious freedom today, there ROBERT A. BECKERLE is nothing to stop you or me from Attorney At Law being deprived of ours to morrow. If Amy Square, Suite C religious freedom doesn't protect us 712 Oak Circle Drive, West all, it means nothing.

The Virginia in which Jefferson lived had an established religion, Dear Editor, of the First Amendment.

Baptist Association, written while Alabama history tells us that Best of all, donations are tax he was President, recites the first oftentimes elections have been deductible. Amendment and then states that it decided by a difference of 100,000, In the future, some original furbuilt "a wall of separation between 900 or even 200 votes. Because of nishings will also be displayed in church and state." The background this, just a few fraudulous votes can the proposed Capitol museum. The issue promoting correspondence by cancel out thousands of honest ones museum, to be located in the old the Danbury Baptists was a reli- in any type of statewide election. Supreme Court Library, will focus gious tax imposed on all For this reason, the Alabama on the history of Alabama's five Connecticut citizens, including Republican Party has made a reso- state capitols and the events that Baptists and other minority faiths, lution for 1999 to call on the shaped the development of the state. to support the state's established Alabama legislature to pass a Voter- Anyone with any information church. It was clearly Jefferson's ID Bill. desire that the religious freedom This bill would require voters to MELANIE BETZ granted all citizens under the First present a valid picture ID on Capitol Curator Amendment would eventually be Election Day before voting, as well 334/242-3188 granted them under state law. His as require equal representation of

Jefferson's letter to the Danbury power.

creams finally came to fruition both Democrats and Republicans more than a century later. The RFA serving as polling officials at every would now destroy Jefferson's precinct. This resolution will be the dream and turn religious freedom very first bill proposed at the 1999 back to its eighteenth century status. legislative session. religion by any state, it allows the

While the RFA expressly pro- The Republican Party will not tolhibits establishment of an official erate voter fraud because it conmajority faith in any state to force prayer, religious ceremony and traditions upon minority faiths that may go to the very brink of official establishment. In southern states, the majority would be the Southern Baptists, in Utah, the Mormons, and in Hawaii, the Buddhists. The RFA prohibition of discrimination

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against "religion" is meaningless, tributes to a government voted in Freedom being expressly limited to discrimi- office through lies and deception. I nation against religion in general applaud Fob James for working to Thomas Jefferson would have and not against a particular faith, make this issue a priority. This just smiled with favor upon the con- In summary, the First seems to be one more reason why gressmen who voted against the Amendment promotes liberty and Alabama needs more Fob.

Religious Freedom Amendment. He justice for all. The RFA's bias /s/ ROGER McCONNELL would have realized that the RFA toward majority rule - might makes Chairman, Alabama Republican promotes religious tyranny, not reli-right - gives minority faiths second Party Amendment to the U.S. By seeking government assis- Dear Editor,

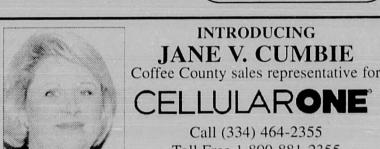
Constitution preserves religious lib-tance to support its faith, the While signing a school prayer erty for everyone. Under the RFA, Religious Right admits the church bill, James repeatedly used strong only the majority faith has any reli- has failed its calling. Now it wants curse words to declare that the bill the government to carry out its mis- was not worth the paper upon which Religious freedom under the First sion. So Robertson, Reed, Dobson it was printed. If James really cared Amendment unites us as one, and Bauer stand clamoring for their about school prayer, family values though of many faiths. The RFA entitlements - a Washington hand- and telling the truth, would be sign divides us according to our faith. out instead of a Godly hand up. a useless bill and conduct himself in such a crude and hypocritical way? mutual respect for one another. Jefferson's experience taught him The answer is no. He was simply Religious freedom under the RFA that government neutrality toward using religion to divide people for

ages militant imposition of religious men it dominates, have learned nei- 6016 May Ave. views of the majority faith upon ther the lessons from Jefferson's day Pinson, AL 35126 205/681-3572 nor the recent lessons from Ireland, anteed to everyone, or it is guaran- When will they ever learn? When Dear Editor,

Almost half a million people from all over the world have visited the beautiful State Capitol since it reopened in 1992; continued efforts to interpret and add to the building have enhanced the visitor's experi-Mobile, AL 36609-4224

For this reason the Alabama Historical Commission is asking for and Jefferson saw restrictions on the We have a great deal of freedom help from anyone who might have religious freedom of those who did in America. A major part of this any furniture or artifacts that originot belong to the state church. The freedom is that to choose our gov- nally came out of the capitol. The establishment of religion in Virginia ernment officials. Sadly, though, in commission is hoping to return as was brought to an end by the the past this privilege has been many original furnishings to the Virginia Assembly's adoption of abused. Although the subject is not building as possible, especially Jefferson's Statute for Establishing readily talked about, voter fraud those dating from the 19th century. Religious Freedom, the forerunner affects each and every one of us, as The pieces will be displayed well as the people we vote into throughout the building and enjoyed by visitors for many years to come.

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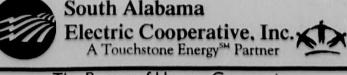
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#### AREA DEATHS

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Mr. Henry Beecher Davis, age 85, Grimes Mitchum, Elba; two daugh- children

of Orlando, Fla., died Aug. 12, ters: Susan Mitchum Harris, Funeral services were held Aug. Medford, N.J.; two granddaugh- Mr. Marvin Carrie Wells, age 84, Church with Rev. Rollie Murray Jr., and Lindsy Susan Turnham, the Opp Nursing Home. pastor, officiating, Burial was in Auburn; a grandson: Blake Benton Funeral services were held Aug Washington Park Cemetery with Turnham, Auburn.

Mitchell Funeral Home Inc. direct-

Mae Davis, Lake Wales, Fla.; Hattie the Elba Nursing Home. Bell Carpenter, Elba; Willie Mae Graveside services and burial Nichols, Mobile; several nieces and McGruder, Tampa, Fla.; and were held Aug. 22, 1998 at 11 a.m. nephews. Catherine Humphries, Arrington, in Evergreen Cemetery with Dr.

Crenshaw Baptist Hospital. Funeral services were held Aug. granddaughters: Judy Kessock, to the late Tillman Lindsey and 23, 1998, at 2 p.m. at Valley Grove Daleville and Casey Corley, Nettie Ruth Stoudermire Lindsey, Primitive Baptist Church, with Rev. Arlington, Tex.; a grandson: Jud and was a lifetime resident of Elba. Monroe Sasser officiating. Burial Corley, Enterprise; a great-grand- Funeral services were held Aug. was in Valley Grove Primitive son and great-granddaughter, 20, 1998, at 2 p.m. at Rocky Head Baptist Cemetery, with Hayes Justin Corley and Jacey Corley, Baptist Church, with Rev. A.R. Survivors include two daugh- Bryan and Rascoe Bryan, both of Rocky Head Missionary Baptist ters: Mary Louise Mitchell and Elba. Alice Lee Garrett, both of Dozier; a

Hayes Funeral Home directing.

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these next trying weeks.

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Fla.; 8 grandchildren.

WILLIAM A. (Bill) MITCHUM Jan. 30, 1914, in Coffee County. Albany, N.Y.; two sons: Harold Mr. William A. (Bill) Mitchum 25, 1998, at 1 p.m. at Memorial Williams, both of Elba; a sister: Jr., age 68, of Rt. 2, Elba, died Aug. Church of God in Christ, New Eria Lindsey Belcher, Elba; four Brockton, with Supt. H.H. Rawls grandchildren. 25, 1998, at his home. Funeral services were held Aug. officiating. Burial was in Shiloh 26, 1998, at 2 p.m. at First Baptist Cemetery, with Coleman Funeral Church of Elba, with Dr. Robert Home directing. Paul officiating. Burial was in Survivors include five children: Danley Cross Roads Cemetery, with Elder E.M. Owens (Earline),

Saginaw, Mich.; Pearlene Owens, Elba; Lewis Owens (Betty), Florala; Willine Owens, Ft. Walton Beach, Fla.; Rosie Taylor, Elba; two brothers: Benjamin Burrows, Dundee, Fla.; Kenneth Burrows, Enterprise;

Survivors include his wife: Sue a sister: Louvenia Rowe; 30 grand-

Mobile; Sharon Mitchum Wallace, MARVIN C.WELLS

22, 1998, at 2 p.m. at Bethel Baptist ters: Sharon Bailey Harris, Mobile, of Brantley, died Aug. 20, 1998, in 22, 1998, at 2 p.m. at Hayes Funeral Home Chapel, with Rev. Elbert ALBERTA RACHEL TAYLOR Smith officiating. Burial was in Survivors include his wife: Rose Mrs. Alberta Rachel Taylor, age Pine Level Community Cemetery, Davis, Orlando, Fla.; sisters: Mertle 86, of Elba, died Aug. 20,1998, in with Hayes Funeral Home directing. Survivors include a sister: Myrtle

Robert Paul officiating and Hayes VERA MAE LINDSEY

WILLIAMS ROBERT AUSTIN GARRETT Any contributions may be made Mrs. Vera Mae Lindsey Williams Mr. Robert Austin Garrett, age 89, to the Alzheimers Foundation. of Elba died Aug. 16, 1998, at of Dozier, died Aug. 20, 1998, in Survivors include a daughter: Flowers Memorial Hospital, Wanda Ann Corley, Elba; two Dothan. She was born Feb. 2, 1925, Enterprise; two brothers: Windell Williams officiating. Burial was in Church Cemetery, with Coleman

Funeral Home directing. sister: Lorene Sanko, South Port, MOTHER ESTELLAR OWENS Survivors include her husband: Mother Estellar Burrows Owens Cleaven Williams, Elba; a daughdied Aug. 20, 1998. She was born ter: Cleva Mae (Robert) Davis, Funeral services were held Aug. Williams and Timothy (Tina)

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## CHURCH & COMUNITY

### Friendship Baptist Church to have revival services Aug. 30 - Sept. 2

Friendship Baptist Church, in the Services will begin each night at Florala, as guest evangelist. Holley Store Community, will have 7 o'clock, with James Prickron, pastor of Westside Baptist Church, gregation invite everyone to attend.

### Space Camp to be held at Enterprise Asssembly of God

held at Westgate Assembly of God drama and more! in Enterprise on Aug. 29, 9 a.m. - 3 Theme for the month is "Phases the end of the day, planet points will p.m. All kids, ages 4 - 11, are invit- of the Moon." Both a noon meal and be converted into "space bucks" to

There will be music, puppets, Planet points will be awarded for Call for more information or to Bible lessons, science concepts, things such as being present, bring-register - 393-2761.

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Ventures in Space" camp will be Rob the Rocket, games, crafts, ing a Bible, bringing an offering, and bringing someone with you. At an afternoon snack will be provided. purchase prizes at the General Store.

> Pleasant Ridge Primitive Baptist Church to hold fifth Saturday night singing

The regular fifth Saturday night singing will be held at Pleasant Ridge Primitive Baptist Church Aug. 29, beginning at 7 o'clock. Everyone is invited.

Gospel singing planned at Tarrentum Community Center

There will be a Gospel Singing at Tarentum Community Center Aug. 29, beginning at 7 p.m. Featured groups will be the Ainsworth Family and the Sanford

Gospel Aires.

Everyone is welcome.

Benefit Gospel Sing to be held at Elba Church of God

There will be a Benefit Gospel Sing at Elba Church of God of was celebrated at St. Paul African Prophecy Saturday, Aug. 29, 7 p.m. Methodist Episcopal Church

was destroyed during the March

ROUND AND ABOUT WITH ERIA 897-2006



\*\*\*Scripture: Prov. 11:1-31 \*\*\*Thinking of you, praying for pastor, Rocky Head M.B. Church Culver; Lydia, Brandon, Brandy

you: Lincoln Bedgood, Lorene and Shiloh Baptist, was guest and Tiffnay Kelley; Jason and Cole, Collis Belcher, Smith speaker; Rocky Head Ensemble and Mason Gulley; Connie Moody, Marshall, John Nelson, Rev. W. Shiloh Choir rendered music. Bass, Alan Belcher, Lela Tyson, the Williams, Lindsey, Belcher, Owens,

\*\*\*August Birthdays: Susie Hooks - Aug. 3; Brea Culver - Aug. 9; Catheryn Carpenter - Aug. 15; Ree'Nita Brooks - Aug. 17; Isaac Nelson - Aug. 18; J.L. Williams -Aug. 20; Chastity Williams - Aug. 21; Alan Belcher - Aug. 26; Lance Cross - Aug. 30; Mozelle McCormick - Aug. 30. \*\*\*August Anniversaries:

Calvin/Maryetta Carpenter - Aug. 2: David and Patricia Carpenter Aug. 10 \*\*\*Ministers, Deacons and

Laymen's Union will meet at Friendship M.B. Church, Glenwood, Aug. 30, Rev. J.M. Bryant, pastor, theme: "God is Love;" Scripture: Deut. 6:5 9:45 a.m. -House called to Order

president; reading of journal - secretary; Sunday School; reports, business, devotional, sermon Women's Department - Sis. ter of Wiley and Juanita Brooks of

Lessie Davis and Sis. Maggie Bryant; Youth Department - Sis. Brittany Daniels, Sis. Melissa Vice President - Dea. James L.

Williams; Secretary - Sis. Eria Lindsey Belcher; Asst. Secretary -Sis. Mamie Williams; Corresponding Secretary - Sis. Catheryn Carpenter; Youth Dept. -Sis. Brittany Daniels & Sis. Melissa Kelley; Youth Teacher - Sis. Ernestine Kelley; Sunday School teacher - Bro. Alan Belcher; A.R. Williams Choir, Rocky Head Treasurer - Dea. Grover Belcher.

M.B. Church, Elba, and Youth

Sunday, Aug. 23, at 2:30 p.m. in Ree'Nita is the granddaughter of Brundidge. Rev. Willie D. Flowers

Ella Mae Brooks, Enterprise, and

Featured singers will be Crossfire (Roberts Family), The Conrad Family, DJ Rolin, Stinson Family, Bo Smith, Heaven Heirs. Proceeds will go toward repairing the inside of the church which

Melissa Kelley, Dee Aundra Peterson, Curtis Kelley, Lenora Jack, Tra Wilson, Martin Jack, Rozetta and Teresa, Ella Mae Brooks, Alan Belcher, Michael and Evelyn Manning, Wiley, Juanita and Dee'Nard Brooks, Kim Kelley, Jessica Board, Sherelle Hart,

Culver, Grover and Eria Belcher. \*\*\*Youth Need To Know: African American History - August. •Monthly Motivation: There are four rungs on the ladder of success: plan purposefully, prepare prayerfully, proceed positively, and pursue persistently. (African American

Porchia Teague, Freddy and Patti

•Did you know? The first hospital wned and operated by African Americans was founded in Mississippi. . . . J.L. Love invented the pencil sharpener in 1897 . . Miles Dewey Davis was sometimes referred to as "the evil genius of because of his sinister

appearance and rude stage manner Enterprise, celebrated her birthday Jackie Robinson was the first with a party on Saturday, Aug. 15, African American inducted into the National Baseball Hall of Fame and Museum, in Cooperstown, N.Y.

Center of attraction was the birth-\*\*\*Question: How many people day cake, plenty of party foods and participated in the march on her favorite gift of "money." Party Washington led by Dr. Martin colors were those of the rainbow, Luther King Jr., in 1963? Answer: and theme was "This is my party, 250,000. (African American History Calendar) Ree'Nita has one brother, Wiley

\*\*\*The 116th Founders Day Program of the Mulberry Missionary Baptist District Association was celebrated Aug. 23, at 6 p.m. at the Mulberry Association Building, Hwy. 84 \*\*\*The 118th church anniversary

Choir at Friendship Baptist Church,

Unity of the Church Through the Enterprise, and Friendship 21st Century. - Eph. 4:1-6" - Rev. J.G. Chatmon, Moderator \*\*\*Today is a good day! Be

.....10:00 a.m

WISE MILL ASSEMBLY OF GOD

Wed. Prayer Service......7:00 p.m.

WOODLAND GROVE BAPTIST

Morn. Worship......11:00 a.m

WOOTEN CHAPEL ASSEMBLY OF

Mike Medley, Pastor

ZION CHAPEL BAPTIST CHURCH

.....9:45 a.m.

Seabren Wooten, Pastor

Kenneth Hagler, Pastor

#### **WORSHIP AT THE CHÜRCH OF** YOUR CHOICE THIS SUNDAY!

at her home. Her birthday was Aug.

Dee'Nard, and he misses her when

she's not around to pick on him.

She will be in the fourth grade at

Holly Hill. She is a member of the

and I'll cry if I want to."

#### AND THE Morn. Worship.... LIFE WAS Even. Service..... THE LIGHT Wed. Bible Study......7:00 p.m. FRIENDSHIP HOLINESS OF MEN ELBA CHURCH OF GOD J. E. Wesley, Pastor ALBERTON BAPTIST CHURCH ...10:00 a.m. Sunday Afternoon..... .....5:30 p.m. Wed. Service.... ELBA DELIVERANCE BASIN BAPTIST CHURCH TABERNACLE Allen Richards, Pastor Sunday School .... Morn. Worship..... .....11:00 a.m. Morn. Worship..... ....11:00 a.m. ....7:00 p.m. ELBA FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD Elbert Smith, Pastor Billy J. Redd, Pastor ....10:00 a.m. ....11:00 a.m. Morn. Worship... Wed. Prayer Service......6:30 p.m. BROOKLYN BAPTIST CHURCH ELBA FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Robert Davis, Pastor Rev. Robert Paul, Pastor .....9:00 a.m. Sunday School..... Morn. Worship..... CHESTNUT GROVE METHODIST .....6:15 p.m. Wed. Service.... Rev. Bennett Abbott, Pastor ELBA UNITED METHODIST Church Service...... 2nd & 4th Sundays ....9:30 a.m. Rev. Marvin Ennis, Pastor Sunday School..... ...11:00 a.m. ....6:00 p.m. CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST ELBA ZION BAPTIST CHURCH E. H. Hill, Minister J. L. Grayer, Pastor Sunday School.......9:45 a.m. Even. Service... .....11:00 a.m. 1st. 2nd. 3rd. & 4th Sundays .....6:00 p.m. FAIRVIEW BAPTIST CHURCH Rev. William Frank, Pastor Sam Totten, Pastor .....9:45 a.m. Morn. Worship......11:00 a.m. Wed. Prayer Service......7:30 p.m.

FAITH CHAPEL COMMUNITY

Wed. Prayer Service......7:00 p.m.

.....10:00 a.m.

...11:00 a.m.

...5:00 p.m.

Danny Sherrer, Pastor Sunday School......10:00

FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD

DORCAS BAPTIST CHURCH

EANON BAPTIST CHURCH

Morn. Worship .....

Bernard Strickland, Pastor

Church Directory MULBERRY HTS. CHURCH OF KINSTON FIRST BAPTIST Andy Marler, Pastor ......9:45 a.m. R. B. Williams, Minister ......11:00 a.m. Sunday School............9:45 a.m. Sunday School......10:00 a.m.

Morn. Worship...... Sunday Evening..... ....6:00 p.m. Even. Service................6:00 p.m. LIVING WORD PENTECOSTAL GREATER NEW ZION BAPTIST CHURCH CHURCH Willie L. Peterson, Pastor Saturday Service......9:45 a.m. ....11:00 a.m. Morn. Worship......11:00 a.m. Wed. Youth Service......6:00 p.m. .....10:00 a.m. HARRIS TEMPLE COGIC LIBERTY CHURCH OF CHRIST Greg Hanchey, Pastor Sunday School......10:00 a.m. W. K. Ellison, Pastor Sunday School......9:45 a.m. Morn. Worship......11:00 a.m. Even. Service .. ...5:00 p.m. LOVE'S WAY CHURCH Rev. Charles K. Jones, Pastor Sunday School......10:00 a.m. Morn. Worship...... ......11:00 a.m. Sunday Evening...... .....6:00 p.m. Wed. Service..... ......7:00 p.m.

HAM UNITED METHODIST Rev. Marvin Ennis, Pastor ...10:30 a.m. Morn. Worship......8:45 a.m. HAW HILL ASSEMBLY OF GOD Shirlie Ellis, Pastor Sunday School......9:45 a.m. MT. CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH .....10:00 a.m. Wed. Prayer Service.......7:00 p.m. HEBRON BAPTIST CHURCH 1st & 3rd Sundays Frank Lowery, Pastor Sunday School......10:00 a.m. MT. ZION BAPTIST CHURCH Rev. Hubert McWaters, Pastor Sunday School.......10:00 a.m.

......9:00 a.m. Wed. Prayer Meeting........7:00 p.m. INO ASSEMBLY OF GOD Wesley D. Ard, Pastor Sunday School ..... .....10:00 a.m. Morn. Worship......11:00 a.m. Wed. Prayer Meeting.......6:30 p.m. INO BAPTIST CHURCH Gerry Winstead, Pastor Sunday School..... ....9:45 a.m. Morn. Worship......11:00 a.m.

Wed. Prayer Meeting..... .....7:00 p.m. JACK ASSEMBLY OF GOD Rev. Stephen Dubose, Pastor Sunday School....................9:45 a.m. ...6:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Service......7:15 p.m.

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J. R. Parks, Pastor School......9:45 a.m.

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Even. Service ....

Morn. Worship....

MT. ZION HOLINESS

Jimmie Bryan, Minister Sunday School......10:00 a.m.

Tues. Prayer Service......6:00 p.m.

MT. OLIVE BAPTIST CHURCH

Richard Moss, Pastor Sunday School......10:00 a.m.

Morn. Worship......11:00 a.m.

Morn. Worship......11:00 a.m. Even. Service...... WESTSIDE BAPTIST CHURCH NEW HOPE BAPTIST CHURCH J. C. Turner, Pastor

Morn. Worship......10:00 a.m. Morn. Worship......11:00 a.m. Wed. Prayer Meet .... Wed. Prayer Service.....7:00 p.m NEW PHILADELPHIA CHURCH Sunday School..... OF GOD IN CHRIST Lorearl Flowers, Minister Sunday School......9:30 a.m. Wed. Prayer Meet......7:00 p.m.

....7:00 p.m.

A. R. Williams, Pastor

Sunday School......9:45 a.m.

Rev. F. L. Flowers, Pastor

Sunday School......10:00 a.m.

Morn. Worship......i! 00 a.m.

Hirron & Linda Williams, Ministers .....10 & 11 a.m. 2nd & 4th Sundays OAK GROVE BAPTIST CHURCH .....7:30 p.m. NEWBIA BAPTIST CHURCH Rev. Culon Davis, Pastor PERDUE ASSEMBLY OF GOD ...10:00 a.m. Rev. Keith Price, Pastor Sunday School......9:45 a.m.

Morn. Worship......11:00 a.m. Morn. Worship......11:00 a.m. Wed. Prayer Service.....7:00 p.m NEW BROCKTON METHODIST Rev. Ben McKee, Pastor ROCKY HEAD M.B. CHURCH Sunday School......9:45 a.m. Morn. Worship.......11:00 a.m. Sunday School.............10:00 a.m. Even. Worship......6:00 p.m. Morn. Worship....

Morn. Worship......11:00 a.m.

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Wed. Night Service .....

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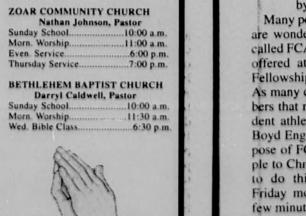
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Wed. Bible Study......6:30 p.m 2nd & 4th Sundays NEW CHAPEL BAPTIST CHURCH ROETON BAPTIST CHURCH Rev. Elbert Smith, Pastor Sunday School.... .....9:45 a.m. ...11:00 a.m. Even. Service..... Morn. Worship... Bible Study..... ...5:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Meet......7:00 p.m Even. Worship... .....6:00 p.m. Morn. Worship............11:00 a.m. Wed. Prayer Meet...............6:00 p.m SHADY GROVE AME NEW EBENEZER BAPTIST

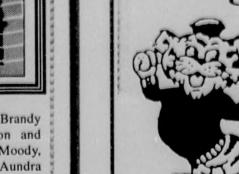
Rev. Alfred Ikner, Pastor Morn. Worship......11:00 a.m. Sunday School..... ......10:00 a.m. Praise Service Mon......6:00 p.m. ....11:00 a.m. Wed. Bible Study......7:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Meet......6:30 p.m SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH Wed. Prayer Meeting...........7:00 p.m. NEW HAVEN BAPTIST CHURCH Campbell Sasser, Pastor Rev. Ben Amlong, Pastor MT. VERNON ASSEMBLY OF GOD Sunday School...... ...10:00 a.m. Morn. Worship.......11:00 a.m. Morn. Worship.......11:00 a.m. Even. Service.... .....11:00 a.m. Wed. Prayer Meet.....

Wed. Prayer Meet......7:00 p.m. THE SHEPARD'S FOLD CHURCH Sunday School......10:00 a.m. 



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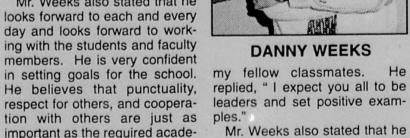
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#### The View From The Top

So, what is expected of Elba High School this year? I recently had an opportunity to conduct an interview with the newly appointed principal, Danny Weeks. In this interview he expressed an enthusiastic view of the upcoming school year. "I have an optimistic view of the future and a commitment to excellence," he said.

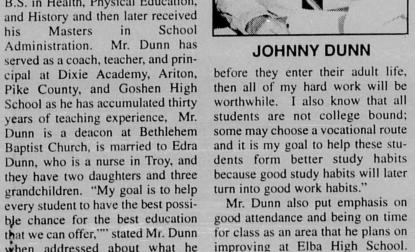
Mr. Weeks also stated that he looks forward to each and every day and looks forward to working with the students and faculty members. He is very confident in setting goals for the school. tion with others are just as ples." senior I asked him what is promote Elba High School. expected out of me, as well as,



important as the required acade- Mr. Weeks also stated that he mic subjects such as English, would like for the senior class to math, science, etc. Being a help the underclassmen and

### New Assistant Principal

by Daniel Murdock There are many new faces in the faculty at EHS as even the administration has received a change by naming Johnny Dunn the new assistant principal. Mr. Dunn graduated from Pike County High School and then went on to Southern Union Jr. ketball and baseball. He then transferred to Troy State for an athletic scholarship where he earned his B.S. in Health, Physical Education, and History and then later received his Masters in School Administration. Mr. Dunn has served as a coach, teacher, and prin-



when addressed about what he improving at Elba High School. dans to accomplish at Elba High Because of Mr. Dunn's qualifica-School. "If I could help just a few tions the administration, students, kids turn their life around and and faculty are confident that he can become a more productive student carry on the proud tradition at EHS.

#### Teachers Attend Earth Lab '98

Mrs. Shirlon Dye and Mrs. Kim mental education and practical out-Gibson of Elba Elementary School door teaching strategies into their were two of thirty Alabama educa- existing curriculums. Educators tors chosen to participate in discovered unique and unusual EARTH LAB '98: An plants and animals of southeast Environmental Field School for Alabama and the Conecuh National Elementary Educators. Funded Forest while being accompanied by by a federal grant, and conducted by experts in the fields of botany, the Southeast Alabama Regional wildlife management, endangered inservice Center at Troy State species, reptiles and amphibians, University, EARTH LAB '98 con- and forestry. In addition, educators sisted of five days of hands-on, explored a cave, collected fossils, mathematics and science-based canoed a river, and studied aquatic activities at the Solon Dixie environments. This FREE summer

Forestry Education Center in opportunity provided educators Andalusia, Alabama, in June. with several hundreds of dollars EARTH LAB '98 assisted edu- worth of educational materials to cators with incorporating environ- take back to their classrooms.

Newest Club On Campus

talk about different ways members need someone. can help out our school and com-

munity. By doing this, FCA will Many people at Elba High School have such events as a Christmas are wondering about the new club drive, visiting the nursing home and called FCA. FCA is the newest club having fund raisers. Coach English offered at EHS and it stands for also said, "Instead of me running all Fellowship of Christian Athletes. the meetings, I want the students of As many can already tell, the mem- Elba High School o get involved." bers that make up this club are stu- The reason for this is so the memdent athletes. The advisor, Coach bers can share their experiences Boyd English, said, "The main pur- with everyone and see how other pose of FCA is to brong more peo- kids their age handle certain situaple to Christ." The way FCA plans tions. FCA is all about helping each to do this is by meeting every other through the struggles of Friday morning at 7:15 to have a everyday teenage life and just being few minutes of devotion and then to there for other students when they

### Elba High School recognized as a site for education success

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Success are tools and strategies ence programs; active FFA chapters; viduals for careers, build awareness nation and support for the continudeveloped by teachers and other strong community and school part- and develop leadership for the food, our improvement of agricultural agricultural education professionals nerships; program planning and fiber and natural resource systems. education. to strengthen local programs. The marketing; and professional growth initiative focuses on agriculture pro- for teachers. grams, in which more than 650,000 To help teachers become successtudents in rural and urban areas ful in each area, work groups of study the science, business and tech- agriculture and education leaders,

"The goal is to build result-orient- developed steps to success and ed, effective programs that prepare researched proven best practices students for careers and life," said used currently in the nation's top Dr. Rosco Vaughn, executive direc- programs. tor of the National Council for While the intent of Local Program

including 30 teachers from 18 states,

### Making The Play

The 1998 fall training season for "The entire team has put forth a the Elba Tigers began with an air of tremendous amount of effort and we excitement and a lot of hard work. have had some really great prac-The football team started training tices." on Monday, August 3, just one In addition, Elba's newest assisweek before the start of school with tant coach, Mike Waters, seems to Coach David Sikes once again at be a true asset to the team. Coach the helm. Coach Sikes indicates Sikes believes in his coaching tacthat he thinks everyone is looking tics and thinks he will be a big help good and the team is a step better for the offensive and defensive lines than during the spring training ses- on the varsity level. sions. "The first two weeks of prac- This year Elba High School will tice have come and gone and I uphold the new state requirement

believe the '98 football season for random drug testing of athletes. looks very prosperous," stated All athletes, junior varsity, male and Coach Sikes. He also believes the female, must participate in the ranyounger boys that came up from dom drug screening to be eligible mior varsity this past year are for play. Coach Sikes believes this looking great and hold promise for will have a positive influence on the the future of football at Elba High. athletic program and the coaches "Derrick Coleman, Gary Williams, and players are looking forward to a and Brandon Salter have all worked successful year in the programs. hard and shown potential on the

### Play That Funky Music

by Casey Henderson "Free-Ride" and "Born to be Wild. The Elba Marching Tiger Band The drum solo is an up-beat number held its annual two week band camp called "Cool Blue." This year's on July 27 through August 7. concert number is a rousing medley During the first week, the Rookies, of "Play that Funky Music," Auxiliaries, and Percussion met to "Brickhouse," and "Get Down get a head start on learning their Tonight."

routines, marching, and music. Finally, the closer is a beautiful The following week, all 93 arrangement of "Love Me Tender." marching band members met for The band's upcoming events are a full band camp to learn the drill and cookout for the parents and students memorize music for this year's half- on August 20, and two contests on time show. This year's show con- October 3 and 17.

sists of the opener, a combination of Kindergarten Jump Start

by **Diana Jackson**With only a few tears from both parents and children and only a few "I want my momma's," the kindergarten got a head start on the rest of us. The Jump Start program began August 5 and ran through August 7. The new rookies began their first day of school by meeting their teachers, touring the building, and asking the all time favorite question "Is it time to go yet?" But all in all, the "new kids on

less journey toward knowledge.

### Norris Attends Summer Worshop

Over the summer, eight of the their job was in the yearbook. ournalism staff members and Mrs. Some attended only the photogra-Norris attended Jostens Summer phy classes and others attended Workshop in Auburn. The work- only the computer classes and shop lasted three days and was learned how to work the pagemaker intended to get ideas for 1999 year- program. books and to teach new members all Those who attended the work-

the details involving the process of shop were: Anna Maddox, Emily putting a yearbook together. Bryan, Justin Maddox, Lee English, Yearbook advisors from area Alisha Culliver, Reese Grantham, schools and representatives from Glenn Davis, and Monique Ordon. Jostens Yearbook Company held Each enjoyed the trip very much classes daily for both students and and hopes this will help them make

students that attended were separat-

yearbook advisors to attend. The this year's Elbala the best ever!

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distinction is available to schools a joint initiative of The Council and can serve as a model for other disciand their agricultural education pro- U.S. Department of Education, with plines. Since its start in 1996, the nization to foster creative and innograms through local Program cooperation from the National FFA initiative continues to help teachers vative leadership for the improve Success, a national initiative to build Organization Association of make the most of their resources to ment and further development of enhance classroom and experiential agricultural education. The Council grams. Recently, Jacob Davis who A national task force of agricul- instruction, build community sup- is composed of representatives of teaches agriculture at Elba High ture and education leaders identified port, make school-to-career connec- agricultural businesses, public School completed an in-depth train- six keys to success for local agricul- tions and increase the overall educa- schools, government, universities ing program held in the state as a tural education programs: strong tional experience for students. state departments of education and classroom and laboratory instruc- The mission of agricultural educa- professional organizations. Its mis-At the core of Local Program tion; supervised agricultural experition is to prepare and support indision is to provide leadership, coordi-

FFA Officers Attend Workshop



The Southeast District FFA Chapter Officers Leadership Workshop was held recently at Enterprise State Junior College. Members attending the workshop from The Elba FFA Chapter (Pictured above 1-r) were: Jeremy Sasser, Bradley Bowers, Britt Grimes, Bucky Carlile and Mr. Davis, Advisor. The workshop is held annually in the Southeast District to train officers to be leaders in their chapter, county and community. The sessions included the duties and responsibilities of officers, planning chapter activities, public relations, etc. The workshop is sponsored by The Chevron Companies, in cooperation with the Agriscience Technology Education Section, State Department of Education.

#### District FFA Winner



DISTRICT FFA Winner, Hunter Hargrove, Member of the Elba FFA Chapter, was third place winner in the Safe Tractor Driving Competition. Hargrove won the competition during the recent Southeast District Eliminations held in Troy. For his efforts, Hargrove won a chapter banner, and a cash award. Pictured with Hargrove is his instructor of Agriscience Technology Education and FFA Advisor Elba High School, Jacob Davis.

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### LIFESTYLES

Ruth Elizabeth Merrill and

Jeffrey Keith Hargrave were united

in marriage April 4, 1998, at

Westgate Church of Christ in

Dothan. The Rev. Bill Watkins per-

formed the double-ring ceremony.

Parents of the couple are Dr. and

Mrs. Phillip Hudson Merrill of

Dothan, and Mr. and Mrs. John

The bride was escorted by her

father and given in marriage by her

A program of wedding music

was presented by Renee Howell;

pianist and organist, Tim Gilley,

rumpeter; and Melissa Whitt,

Angela Searcy Blaxton of

Birmingham served as matron of

honor. Gwin Copeland of Decatur

served as maid of honor.

Bridesmaids were Heather

Atteberry, St. Louis, Mo.; Jennifer

Hitchcock Boles, Montgomery;

Kathryn Coplin, cousin of the

oride, Demopolis; Jaclyn

largrave, sister of the groom,

Decatur; Allison Sherer Hart,

Birmingham; Elizabeth Ouimette,

Memphis, Tenn.; and Caroline

Clements Smith, Little Rock, Ark.

Abby and Molly Coplin, twin

usins of the bride, Demopolis,

John E. Hargrave of Decatur

erved his son as best man.

Groomsmen were Steve Dedmond,

Birmingham; Shane Hammett,

Auburn; Lewis Harrell,

Hattiesburg, Miss.; Henry Merrill,

Rusty Self, Munford; Chris

Perdue, Fernandina Beach, Fla.;

Michael Whitt, cousin of the

groom, Auburn; and Matthew

Following the ceremony, the

bride's parents hosted a reception

at the Dothan Country Club. The

groom's parents entertained the

wedding party with a rehearsal din-

the couple resides in Texarkana,

Ark., where they are both

employed as process engineers.

Area students

graduate from

MacArthur Tech.

Graduation exercises for

MacArthur State Technical

College were held Aug. 18 in the

Opp High School auditorium, with

252 students completing require-

After a wedding trip to St. Lucia,

ner at the Dothan Country Club.

brother of the bride, Atlanta, Ga.;

rved as flower girls.

Edward Hargrave of Decatur.

## Hargrave-Merrill united in Miss Bedsole and Mr. McCollough to marry in October holy matrimony



Mrs. Jeffrey Keith Hargrave

#### **NEW ARRIVAL**



Brookelin Savannah Jones

Cook for 1/2

Stan Marsh

Michael and Donna Jones announce the birth of their daugh-June 9, 1998, 12:20 p. m. at Columbia Medical Center, Orange Park, Fla. The new arrival weighed 8 lbs.

SAVANNAH JONES

**BROOKELIN** 

13 ozs. and was 21 inches long. Brookelin was welcomed home by her big sister, Autumn. Proud grandparents are Richard and Pat Jones; Edward and Gail Morris, Elba; and George and Debbie Sims, Montgomery. Great-grandparents are Merle Berry; Riley Sims; the late Hanley

and Mable Jones, Jacksonville, Fla.; the late Helen McGriff, Jacksonville, Fla.; the late L.V. Berry, Elba; and the late Nora Sims,

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Cooper and Christie Mitchell, New Brockton; Stacey Dewberry, Jack; Deborah Ford, Elba Secretarial Technology - Tina Bell and Vicki Coggins, Brantley; Wendolyn Burks, Elba; Laura Edwards, New Brockton; Kellie Henderson, Glenwood Structural and Pipe Welding Jason Edwards, New Brockton Upholstery/Design Interiors

Ethelene Bedsole, Brantley;

Welding - Keith Patterson, New

Marshall Edwards, Kinston



Mr. McCollough, Miss Bedsole

Lashley Reunion to be held Saturday, August 29

Aug. 29 at the Westville ed to attend the day of fellowship. Community Center in Westville,

Mrs. Nancy Y. Bedsole of Elba announces the engagement and forthcoming marriage of her daughter, Amelia Louise, to Michael L. McCollough, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mickey L. McCollough, also of

The bride-elect is also the daugh-

ter of Mr. James A. Bedsole of Opp. She is the granddaughter of Mrs. Jessie G. Young and the late John V. Young, the late Annie Bedsole, and the late Alvin Bedsole, all of Opp. She is a graduate of Elba High School and Auburn University, where she earned a bachelor's degree in education and a master's degree in special education. She is a special education teacher in

The future bridegroom is the grandson of the late Margaret B. Smith, the late Henry J. Smith, and the late Mr. and Mrs. Luke McCollough, all of Elba. He is a graduate of Elba High School and RETS Electronic Institute in Birmingham. He is

employed in Dothan. The wedding is planned for Saturday, Oct. 10, at three o'clock in the afternoon at the Elba Church All friends and relatives are invited to attend.



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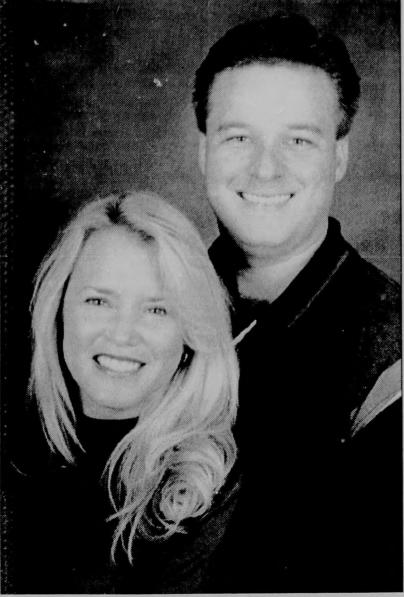
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Miss Micklon, Mr. Holley

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planned and will be held at the

#### Micklon-Holley wedding planned for September 19

Mrs. Brigitte Voger Micklon and The future bridegroom is the the late Francis Bert Micklon of grandson of Mrs. Verbie Holley Daleville announce the engagement Herring and the late John Edmond of their daughter, Nicole Jeanine Holley Jr., of Elba, and the late Mr. Micklon, Enterprise, to John Neal and Mrs. Albert Neal Harmon of Holley, Elba, son of Mr. and Mrs. Greeneville, Tenn.

The bride-elect is the grand- University with a Bachelor of daughter of Mrs. Caroline Pharmacy degree and was a mem-Schlossareck, Pittsburgh, Pa.; the ber of Delta Chi fraternity. He is colate Wilhem Voger of Germany, and owner and operator of an Elba firm. the late Mr. and Mrs. Bert Micklon A September 19 wedding is She is a graduate of Alabama home of the groom's parents.

Aviation Technical College and is

employed at Ft. Rucker. Day-Hudson wedding planned for Saturday, August 29

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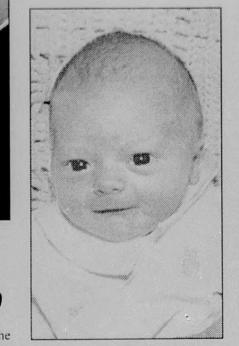
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Girl Scout registration to be held

Girl Scout registration for the Elba/Zion Chapel area will be held Tuesday, Sept. 1, at 7 p.m. at Elba Elementary School. Registration is ope grades K-12.

pany the girl. 1-800-BE-Women (1-800-239-

Teresa Dorsey; Jack - Tanya President's List requires A aver-



Joshua Thomas Peak

Birth Announcement .......

**JOSHUA THOMAS** birth of his new baby brother, Joshua, on July 29, 1998, at 1:03

p.m. at Flowers Hospital. Joshua weighed 6 lbs. 12 ozs. and was 20-1/2 inches long. Proud parents are Ricky and Sherri Peak of Dothan. Proud grandparents are Tommy Deupree of Elba, and Nellie Peak,

Historical Commission to co-host workshop

The Alabama Historical Commission (AHC) and the Pea River Historical and Genealogical Society will co-host a workshop on Sept. 29, 5 - 7 p.m. at the Old National Guard Armory Civic Center located behind Cottage Street Elementary School, 711 W.

Crawford St., Enterprise. The meeting will inform members of the Wiregrass region about various historic preservation programs, and offer support for local preservation needs.

Aunt B's Bed and Breakfast to have Open House

Aunt B's Bed and Breakfast on W. Davis Street in Elba will have Open House Sunday afternoon, Aug. 30, 1 - 5 p.m. Aunt B's is back in business in he original location.



Deadling for Social News is Monday!!!!!

Miss Bradley and Mr. Sessions to wed Saturday, October 3

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph L. Bradley of Kinston announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Andrea Nicole, to Chad Frederick Sessions, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Sessions The bride-elect is the grand-

daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gibson R. Bradley of Kinston, and Mr. and For information call 347-1965 or Mrs. Zealon C. Smith of Kinston. She is a 1992 graduate of Elba High School and a 1997 graduate of Troy State University with a Bachelor of Science degree in Rehabilitation age; Dean's List - Grade Point Counseling. She is a service social

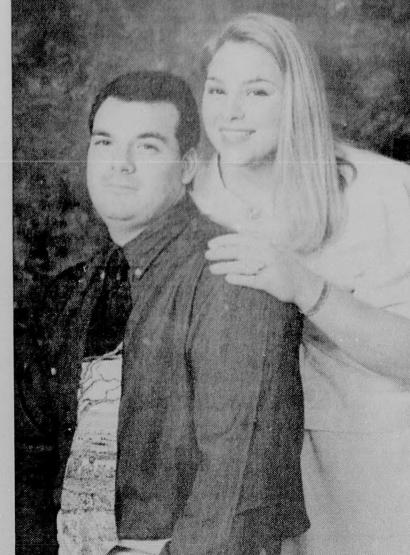
worker employed in Evergreen. The future groom is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Sessions of Elba, and Mr. and Mrs. M.K. Bowden of Kinston.

He is a 1994 graduate of Kinston High School and is employed with a trucking firm as a dispatcher. The wedding will take place Saturday, Oct. 3, at four o'clock in the afternoon at Ino Baptist Church, Kinston, with reception to follow in the fellowship hall of the

Area Student's on President's List at Wallace College

Area students named to the President's List at Wallace Community College for Summer Quarter 1998 included: Jessica J. Dunn, Elba; Donna F. Cotter, Jack; and Rusty S. Phillips,

The President's List requires a quarterly grade point average of



Mr. Sessions , Miss Bradley

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are not down in confidence or enthusiasm, and are actually looking forward

to their trip to battle the Purple Cats. Ariton is not as strong as it has been

in years past, but the Cats will be playing at home, and everyone knows

The New Brockton Gamecocks are primed for one of their best years

ever under Coach Keith Thrasher, and just about everyone agrees that the

Gamecocks will be a team to watch as the season progresses. Luverne won

the state 2A crown a year ago, but the Tigers are a little down in numbers

and talent, and could be primed for an upset if they are not ready for the

The Zion Chapel Rebels will hit the road for the long trip up to Thorsby

for their season opener, and while the Rebels may be a little down in num-

bers and talent, they should be evenly matched against Thorsby. If the

Rebels can get a few breaks early in the game and gain confidence, a win

could very well happen. The Rebels have a real shot, but again the nod goes

OTHER PICKS:

Houston Ac. 24 Coffeeville 12 T.R. Miller 17 Clarke Co. 13

Elba Junior Tigers to open season

The Elba Junior Tigers will take of players in grades seven and eight,

to the field on Tuesday, September with no ninth graders on the squad.

1, when they host the Brantley Despite the change, over thirty

Junior Bulldogs, at Elba's Tiger players are on the team, coached by

The kickoff for the game is set for are looking forward to the season.

which the Junior Tigers will consist future Elba Tigers!

This will mark the first season in come out Tuesday and support these

Highland Home 22 Goshen 12 Opp 21 Wetumpka 17

Daleville 27 Bullock Co. 0

Dale Co. 21 Headland 6

W.S. Neal 27 Hillcrest 8

St. Paul's 24 Andalusia 7

Dothan 10 Greenville 6

R.E. Lee 28 Carver 3

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To host Brantley Junior Bulldogs

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Eufaula 27 Abbeville 7

Ashford 14 Pike Co. 13

Rehobeth 14 Cottonwood 13

**LUVERNE 18 NEW BROCKTON 14** 

### **SPORTS**

Views from ....

#### THE PRESSBOX

By Ricky Mularz

The high school football season kicks off this week, and for perhaps the first time ever I will probably glance at the cheerleaders at least a couple of times each game to make certain everything is okay on the sidelines. I won't be trying to learn the cheers, or get any of the little footballs the girls throw out after a score, but I will be keeping an eye on Melissa as she takes to the sidelines for the first time as a varsity cheerleader. After being a junior high cheerleader I know she knows what to do if the play comes her way. However, I will still look her way anytime the ball heads in her direction, and be a proud Papa throughout the game.

#### TIGERS HOPE TO RETURN TO WINNING WAYS

The Elba Tigers will be looking to return to their winning ways of the past tonight (Thursday) when they host the Brantley Bulldogs in the season opener for the high school football season. Coach David Sikes, his staff, and his players have been hard at work throughout the summer getting ready for the season, and after talking to the coaches and players, I am convinced that they are determined to help move the Elba football program back toward the top of the high school ranks. They all know that it will take more than one year to return the Tigers to the top; however, everyone involved in Elba Tiger football believes that this will be the year that the Tigers take that first giant step. Only time will tell, and it looks like the time

The Tigers stumbled on both sides of the football last season, and while it is true that there are a number of new faces dotting the line-up this season, the newcomers seem just as determined as the veterans to turn the program around. On offense, Bradley Bowers will lead an attack that will include a stable of solid running backs and a pair of speedy receivers that can go deep at any time. The offensive line was a question mark a year ago and remains somewhat of an ongoing project, but does have some youngsters that are big and strong, and should get better as it gains experience. The offense will be much different from last year's pass happy attack, and should help the Tigers develop a level of consistency on the offensive side of the ball.

Over on defense, the Tigers return eight starters, and should be one of the quickest and most aggressive units to wear the black and gold in many years. The Tigers won't be as big as many Elba teams of the past, but appears to be loaded with quickness at just about every position, and will attempt to use that quickness to get to the football and punish the ball carrier. If the Tigers play fundamentally sound, tackle well, and remember their assignments on every down, they could have as good a defense as the

Elba fans have seen for many years. Don't get me wrong. I am not predicting the Tigers are going to win a FLBA VS. BRANTLEY state championship, or even have a winning record. What I am predicting is that the '98 Tigers will be a team that gives everything it has on every play, and will be a team that the fans will enjoy watching. Rome wasn't built in a day, and the Elba football program won't be rebuilt in just one year. It will; however, begin to take shape, and by the end of the season should resemble the program that has claimed two state titles in the last decade. Be patient, but be ready to have some fun!

#### JUNIOR PROGRAM APPEARS SOLID IN FIRST YEAR In pre-season football jamboree

last spring when it made the move to a "middle school" program, and while the change from having players in three grades (7-9) to only two grades (7-8) had some folks worried about a lack of players, those fears have vanished as over thirty players from grades seven and eight have joined the team and will hit the field next week in its season opener. Coach Kevin Killingsworth has stepped down as an assistant on the varsity staff to lead the junior high program, and his enthusiasm and knowledge has already paid huge dividends with the youngsters. The future of the varsity football program begins at the junior high level, and it looks like the future is in

#### **VOLLEYBALL TEAM ALSO READY FOR OPENER**

The Elba Lady Tiger volleyball team will open its season next week, and Coach Susan Barnes and her troops appear more than ready to continue their trek toward the top of their sport. The volleyball team posted a winning record a year ago and advanced to sub-state play, but found out that it was still a long way from being able to defeat the better teams in the 3A ranks at the state level. This year the Lady Tigers have worked hard in the off-season to improve, and Coach Barnes and her players believe that this is the year that the Lady Tigers will get the attention of the state's top teams. With no seniors on the team the Lady Tigers could hit a few bumps on the road; however, the Lady Tigers are not young on the court, and should be headed for their best season ever. Good luck!

#### AREA TEAMS READY TO OPEN '98 SEASON

The 1998 high school football season will kick off tonight (Thursday) across the state, and for the teams in the area, the kickoff won't come one day too soon. The players are all tired off butting heads with each other, and are ready to hit someone else. They will get that chance this week, and here is a brief look at what to expect..

\*\*\*NEW BROCKTON GAMECOCKS - The Gamecocks of Coach Keith Thrasher might just have their best team in many years, and could very well be the team to keep an eye on in this part of the state. The Gamecocks are still young in many spots and have been hit hard by injuries in the pre-season; however, they have grown up on the football field in recent years and are determined that this is the season in which they start paying some folks back for losses in the past. If the Gamecocks can avoid the injury bug and improve every time they hit the field, they could very well be a team to reckon with come playoff time.

\*\*\*ZION CHAPEL REBELS - The Rebels of Coach Randy Grant won't have a lot of players, or experience, but they will be well coached and ready to play when the season opens Friday night. The Rebels took a giant step toward being a winning team a year ago, and despite the predictions of doom in '98, you can bet Coach Grant and his staff will have the Rebels as ready as possible. Talent helps win games, but what is in a players heart also counts, and there is no doubt that the Rebels are just as good as any team in the sate when it comes to dedication and desire. The Rebels might just surprise some folks this season, just watch.

\*\*\*KINSTON BULLDOGS - The Bulldogs of Coach Mickey Jacobs are also short on numbers and experience, but the Bulldogs have never backed down from a challenge and the same will be true this season. Kinston will enter the year as the smallest 2A school in the state, and will be the underdog just about every time it hits the field. While that might make their fans a little pessimistic, you can bet the Bulldogs and their coaches are looking forward to the challenge, and believe that they can win no matter the opponent. The Bulldogs aren't expected to make much noise

this season; however, their bite may be worse than many think. \*\*\*BRANTLEY BULLDOGS - The Bulldogs of Coach Roland Jones are expected to challenge for a state this season, and if they can survive a rugged early-season schedule, they should be around late in the season and be ready to roll in the playoffs. Brantley appears to have as much speed and skilled folks as any school in the state, regardless of size, and if the Bulldogs can improve as the year rolls along, big things could happen. If the Bulldogs stay healthy, and gain momentum, watch out!

\*\*\*\* FOOTBALL '98 \*\*\*\*

TIME OUT....TO TAKE A LOOK AROUND THE AREA

\*\*\*I was deeply saddened last week to learn of the death of Bryan Atkins. Bryan was a teacher and coach at Fleeta Junior High School, served as the sports editor for The Opp News for many years, and was someone I considered a friend. Bryan always had a smile on his face, whether coaching a game, of covering a game for the newspaper, and he will be missed by many. He devoted a lot of hours to covering area sports for the Opp newspaper, not for the money, but for the love of sports and those who took part in the competition. He will be missed, but always remembered.

\*\*\*The Elba teams are hard at work getting ready for the 1998 Tri-County Youth Football League season, and while the Pee Wee team was hit hard by the change at Elba High School to field a seventh and eighth grade team, all three teams have plenty of players and should be ready for a big season. The Midgets, the youngest team, has almost 40 players taking part in practice, while the Termites and Pee Wees both have around 20 players on their rosters. The teams begin the season on September 12, and it looks like a fun season ahead.

\*\*\*It was great to learn that the New Brockton football player that suffered a heat stroke was recovering nicely and would have a full recovery from the very dangerous health condition. Jamey Anderson was in critical condition after passing out on the practice field, but the efforts of the Gamecock coaching staff and rescue personnel made a major difference, and today all the news is good. All coaches are aware of the dangers of to the home team. practicing in the heat, and even though things can happen, the coaches at New Brockton were ready, and may have very well been the difference between a tragedy and a happy ending.

\*\*\*The controversy over aluminum bats in baseball has been alive for many years, and it looks like the NCAA has finally made a decision. Last week the NCAA announced that effective in August, 1999, metal bats would be changed to perform more like wood bats. Tests during the 1998 season recorded batted balls with a velocity of 113 miles per hour, but G.W. Long 20 Clayton 0 under the new rules to take place in late 1999, the maximum batted ball velocity would be 93 miles per hour. You had better believe that 10 miles an hour is a huge difference! The NCAA also decreased the allowable diameter of the bat from 2 3/4 inches to 2 5.8 inches, and reduced the length-to-weight difference from five to three (a 34 inch bat must weigh 31 ounces). Similar rules are already being considered by the national high school federation, and it is a sure thing that when school starts in 1999, the high school rules will be identical. Also look for changes in softball bats used at the high school level, as soon as next season.

#### PROGNOSTICATOR PRIMED FOR PREP PICKINGS

Ye Ole Polish Prognosticator dropped by the office Sunday morning and announced that for the first time ever he was ready for the beginning of the high school football season and confident that the '98 season would be his best year ever. I don't know what caused the change in attitude for the local on September 1 against Brantley guesspert, but we'll find out in a hurry if he is really ready, or just talking loud to try and convince himself. Here goes ....

ELBA 20 BRANTLEY 16

The Elba Tigers struggled to a 2-8 record a year ago and this season have only 24 players on their varsity roster, while the Brantley Bulldogs are supposed to be loaded with talent and are considered by many to be a threat to Stadium. win the 1A state title. It looks like a rocky opener for the Tigers, but games are won on the field, and not in the papers, and the vote here is for the 6:00 PM. Tigers to open the season with a huge upset.

### New Brockton claims two big wins

competed in a pre-season football the Gamecocks were on top to stay defeat Houston Academy 13-8, to only 1:24 left on the clock. New jamboree Friday night in Dothan, at 7-0. The second score of the night win its second game of the night. Brockton had more than enough and gave their fans plenty to be came following an eight play, 51- The Gamecocks began the quarter time to regain the lead; however, cheer about as they posted wins over yard drive, when Flowers broke on offense and drove 65 yards in 10 and the Gamecocks did just that as Houston Academy and Louisville. loose and rambled 17 yards for a plays to get on the scoreboard. Pate they quickly covered the distance The Gamecocks opened the jam- touchdown. Kinsaul again added the Harrison and Lee Flowers both had into the endzone to steal the win! A boree against Louisville and pulled extra-point to put New Brockton on big runs on the scoring march, while 35-yard run by Lee Flowers was a out to a 14-0 lead before holding on top 14-0. Louisville scored late on a it was Flowers that notched the key play in the scoring march, while late to claim the 14-7 win over the 34-yard run by Tony Burks and score on an 11 yard dash. Kinsaul the TD came when Kellen Cole Red Devils. The first New Brockton added the extra-point, but it made added the extra-point to put hooked up with Andre Flowers on a touchdown came when Lee Flowers little difference as the Gamecocks Brockton on top 7—0. Houston 34-yard scoring strike. scooped up a Red Devil fumble and easily held on for the 14-7 win. Academy answered the Gamecock Each game consisted of one quar-

The New Brockton Gamecocks Kinsaul booted the extra-point and the closing seconds of the game to own, and moved on top 8-7 with raced 60 yards for the score. Robby New Brockton drove 65 yards in score with a long scoring drive of its ter on the clock.

Kevin Killingsworth, and the Tigers

All Elba fans are encouraged to

#### In season opening games

### All area teams will be on the road

will kick off this week across the Bulldogs are looking to improve on to Luverne to battle the always ZION CHAPELAT THORSBY state, and for the teams in the local last year's results, while the Cats are tough Luverne Tigers. The Coach Randy Grant's Rebels area the opening of the season will also hoping that the '98 campaign Gamecocks got their opening game made giant strides a year ago toward bring with it anything but easy brings with it an improved record. jitters out of their system last week regaining their spot atop the 1A

KINSTON AT ARITON Coach Mickey Jacobs and his LUVERNE night for their season opener against Gamecocks will find out in a hurry a real fight.

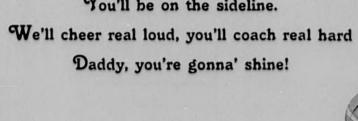
Bulldogs will hit the road Friday Coach Keith Thrasher's talented means the Gamecocks will be in for the team that makes the fewest

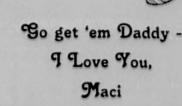
The high school football season the Ariton Purple Cats. The just where they stand as they travel This game has to be considered a with jamboree wins over Louisville ranks, but this is a new season and Following is a look at the season toss-up, with the winner being the and Houston Academy, while very different team that will hit the opening games for the teams in the team that makes the fewest mistakes Luverne got the chance to see the road for the trip to Thorsby. Thorsby and is in the best condition. Gamecocks in action and put in a may be a 2A club, but these Rebels game plan. The Tigers may not be as have also struggled at times in NEW BROCKTON AT good as last year's state champions, recent years, making this game a but they will be at home, and that toss-up, with the winner again being

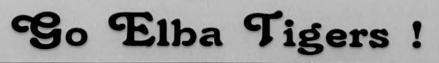
## Touchdown Elba!

Me and Mommy will be in the stands.

You'll be on the sideline.







THE ELBA CLIPPER • THUURSDAY, AUGUST 27, 1998

### Host Brantley in Thursday night opener

### Elba ready to unveil new and improved Tigers

selves."

The Elba Tigers will begin the "Offensively," added Sikes, "the (160) and senior Derrick Duncan sive-end, with Britt Grimes and and will be as good as any team we football, be sound in all areas and

all the players are really looking for- (175) will open up at fullback, while rier on every play." ward to taking the field and playing at the halfback slots will be junior When the Elba defense hits the it will really be a tough season open-takes, and take advantage of our outstanding football team. However, against someone other than them- Tony Burks (145) and senior Kevin field, Lance Boutwell and Jawaune er. They have athletes all over the scoring opportunities. Over on we are ready to play and are looking Dodd (150). Junior Eric Jordan Hughes (255) will line up at defen- field on both sides of the football, defense, we will have to get to the forward to taking the field."

second year of the David Sikes era knowledge of what to do is there, (165) will alternate at the split-end Michael Godwin manning the tackle play all season long." tonight (Thursday) when they host and that is an improvement over the position, and at tight-end will be positions. Brandon Salter, Kevin "They have one of the state's top going to slow down Brantley's the Brantley Bulldogs in the opening opening game a year ago. Our tim- senior Lance Boutwell (180). The Dodd and Keni Mitchell will form backs in Bo Daniels," added Sikes, offense we must tackle well and not game of the high school football ing is still a little off and the passing line will be anchored by junior cen- the linebacker corp, with the sec- "and he has the ability to take it the make any mental mistakes anyseason, with a large crowd expected game has been up and down in practer Britt Grimes (225), with senior ondary to include Eric Jordan, Josh distance any time he touches the where on the field. Brantley can to be on hand as the Tigers and tice, but we will not be as limited as Michael Godwin (200) and sopho- Hodge (160), Tony Burks and football. Brantley has speed to burn, score on any play, from anywhere, Bulldogs renew their gridiron rival- we were last year early in the sea- more Brandon Salter (175) at Derrick Duncan. Also expected to and is a threat on every play, and and we must be alert and play funson. If we have a strength on offense guards, and junior Kenny Hughes see action will be Derrick Coleman every time you kick the ball to then. damentally sound on every play." Kickoff for the game is set for it would be in the backfield, where (245) and Jep Dubose (190) at tack- (185) in the line and Josh Lawford This is not the best opener we have "This season opener is very 7:30 at Tiger Stadium, with the gates we have several solid running backs. les. Also expected to see action at (160) in the secondary.

We should be able to keep fresh guard is O'Shay Hammonds (185). "We don't have a lot of players or field Thursday night, and we'll just gram," stated Coach Sikes. "It will "If hard work has anything to do backs in the game for all four quar- "Defensively," said Sikes, "we a lot of depth," admitted Coach try to do what we can to get out of give us a measurement of where we with it we will be okay," stated ters, and that should make a differ- have really got after the ball in prac- Sikes, "but we should be able to there with a win." Elba's Coach David Sikes. ence, especially on a hot night. We tice, and our aggressiveness should give most of the players a breather "On offense," said Sikes, "we will have to work on. We are much better "Physically we are a little banged also have some very good players in be our strength on the defensive side as the game goes along, and we have to establish our running game fundamentally than we were this up, and we have a couple of starters the offensive line, and a couple of of the ball. We only lost two starters hope that with the combination of a and try to do what we do best, and time last season, and have a good that may not be at full speed, but no receivers with excellent speed." on defense from last season, and solid conditioning program and our then improve on that as the game group of young men that want to one will miss the game due to When the Tigers take the field on except for three players, everyone substitution pattern will pay off late progresses. I think we can be bal- play football. The players have injuries. The attitude of the team has offense, they will be led by quarter- playing defense saw action a year in the game." been great! The players have all back Bradley Bowers (185), a ago. We are going to maximize our When asked about Brantley, to be effective running and passing worked hard, and now it is time to

faced, but it is who will take the important to our team and our pro-

anced on offense, and we will have worked hard, the coaches have gone above and beyond everything junior, making his first start in a strengths and try to get to the foot- Coach Sikes stated "Brantley probato have a chance at putting many take the field and see that hard work we have asked them to do, and all in Tiger uniform. Senior Keni Mitchell ball and put the pads on the ball car- bly has more speed and true athletes points on the scoreboard. We will pay off. We know the game will than any team on our schedule, and have to be patient, not make mistough and that Brantley will have an



1998 ELBA TIGERS....will open the 1998 high school football season on Thursday night, August 27, at 7:30 PM, when they host the Brantley Bulldogs.

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ELBA TIGER COACHING STAFF .... (1-r) Boyd

English, Wynn Grimes, Head Coach David Sikes and Mike

1998 ELBA TIGER SENIORS ... include (1-r) Kevin Dodd, Michael Godwin, Eric Jordan, Keni Mitchell, Lance Boutwell, Josh Hodge, Derrick Duncan and Jawaune Hughes.

At South Alabama Speedway

#### Watkins continues to dominate sportsman action

nance of the Sportsman Class at the third place midway through the Racing will continue this week

and cruised to the win, getting the Perkins and Childs. checkered flag for the eighth time Michael Tillery took the check- results in all classes: this year. Heath Mills passed Jim ered flag in the Street Stock event, SPORTSMAN Walker with four laps to go to claim and led all 25 laps to claim his third 1 - Joey Watkins, Dothan the second spot, while rounding out feature win of the season. Jimmy 2 - Heath Mills, Opp Davis and Ronnie Strawder.

flat tire and a spin to take the check- Kenneth Adkins. ered flag. Davis eventually took the Jackie Tillery won her second PURE STOCK lead on Lap 18 and led the rest of straight Powder Puff race, while 1 - Don Huff, Elba the way to get the win. Jerry Lisa Harrison and Sonya Dykes 2 - Larry Crutchfield Weatherington came back from the charged through the pack to finish 3 - Wayne Slawson, Enterprise back of the pack to finish second, second and third, respectively. Joan STREET STOCK while rounding out the top five were Wilkins and Lorri Hurt came across 1 - Michael Tillery, Ozark James Napper, Bob Jones and Ricky the line in fourth and fifth. WTVY 2 - Jimmy White, Millbrook

third feature win of the season. traffic and faded to the #8 position. 3 - Sonya Dykes, Ozark Crutchfield started in the rear of the In Heat races, the winners were pack, but battled his way near the Watkins, Rogers, Crutchfield,

Joey Watkins continued his domi- front and was able to move into Tillery and White.

pack to place second, with Bubba SUPER STOCK Mark Davis had a long road to the Lewis taking third. Rounding out 1 - Mark Davis, Mobile Super Stock win as he survived a the top five were Jerome Berry and 2 - Jerry Weatherington, Elba 3 - James Napper, Brantley

news anchor Angie Casey finished 3 - Bubba Lewis, Elba In Pure Stock action, Don Huff eighth in a special appearance. The POWDER PUFF held off challenges from Roy Childs popular TV news host started in the 1 - Jackie Tillery, Ozark and Larry Crutchfield to claim his #4 spot, but was blocked by slower 2 - Lisa Harrison, Mobile

South Alabama Speedway on race. Crutchfield got by Childs with heats and features in all class-Saturday, August 15, winning the when Childs encountered clutch es. gates open at 5:00 PM, with racfeature race for the eighth time this problems, and held on for the sec- ing set to begin at 7:00 PM. The ond spot. Rounding out the top five South Alabama Speedway is located Watkins took the lead at the start were Wayne Slawson, Denny on Highway 52, West of Kinston. Following are official racing

the top five were Walker, Gary White charged from the back of the 3 - Jim Walker, Montgomery

1998 ELBA TIGER VARSITY CHEERLEADERS .... (Front row) Julie Roberson-CoCaptain, Laura Crowe-Captain, Emilee Benbow-CoCaptain, (Middle row) Lisa Wing, Carmenda Coleman, Katie Vaughan, Lindsey Jared, (top row) O'Neida Davis, Melissa Mularz At August 8 S.A.S. races

Elba drivers dominate action

The following are results from SUPER STOCK the feature races at the South 1 - Eugene Bell, Opp Alabama Speedway on Saturday, 2 - Tommy Adams, Elba STREET STOCK 1 - Kenneth Adkins, Level Plains

2 - Jimmy White, Millbrook 3 - Mikell Rawls, Millbrook PURE STOCK 1 - Roy Childs, Elba 2 - Wayne Slawson, Enterprise

3 - Jimmy Johnson, Elba

FOLLOW YOU FAVORITE TEAM EACH WEEK....RIGHT HERE IN THE ELBA CLIPPER

3 - Jerry Weatherington, Elba

3 - Ronny Strawder, Enterprise

1 - John Dykes and Kelley

2 - Harold Hurt and David Cooper

1 - Gary Davis, Kinston

2 - Heath Mills, Opp

SPORTSMAN

TRAIN RACE

Willoughby

SUPPORT HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETICS.... REMEMBER, **EMPTY SEATS** DON'T PAY THE BILLS!! SEE'YA AT THE GAME!!

## LEGALS

TRACT #5

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COFFEE COUNTY, ALABAMA ENTERPRISE DIVISION

STATE OF ALABAMA, EX REL., LARRY JARRELL ASSISTANT DISTRICT ATTORNEY, PLAINTIFF, NATHANIEL DEON BROWN

AND SEVEN HUNDRED AND FORTY-TWO AND NO/100 DOLLARS (\$742.00) IN LAWFUL UNITED STATES CURRENCY AND/OR COINAGE, DEFENDANT CASE NUMBER: CV97-278 LEGAL NOTICE

In this case it is made to appear to the Circuit Court by the affidavit of Larry C. Jarrell, Assistant District Attorney for the Twelfth Judicial Circuit Coffee County Alabama, and represents the State of Alabama in this action, that a petition for the condemnation of property was filed in the Circuit Court of Coffee County, Enterprise Division, Alabama. On or about November 17, 1997, the summons and complaint which instigated this action

The property was seized as fruits of crime, pursuant to Section 13A-11-84 and Section 20-2-93 of the Code of Alabama as amended. The property is in possession of the Twelfth Judicial Court Drug Task Force. The address of the defendant is unknown. It is therefore, ORDERED by the Court that the owner of the above listed property is directed to appear and plead to or answer the petition in the above styled case by the 15th

day of October, 1998, or a judgment by default may be rendered by the Court and the money may be disposed of as ORDERED BY THE DONE this the 5th day of August, /s/JIM ELLIS

Circuit Clerk 8-13-20,27;9-3chg I, TRACY EDWARDS, will not be

s/ TRACY EDWARDS 8-13,20,27;9-3

those made by me personally.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COFFEE COUNTY, ALABAMA ENTERPRISE DIVISION STATE OF ALABAMA, EX REL., LARRY JARRELL ASSISTANT

DISTRICT ATTORNEY, PLAINTIFF. AND TWO HUNDRED, SIXTY-SIX AND NO/100 DOLLARS (\$266.00) IN LAWFUL UNITED STATES CURRENCY AND/OR COINAGE, DEFENDANT.

CASE NUMBER: CV97-136

LEGAL NOTICE In this case it is made to appear to the Circuit Court by the affidavit of Larry C. Jarrell, Assistant District Attorney for the Twelfth Judicial Circuit Coffee County Alabama, and represents the State of Alabama in this action, that a petition for the condemnation of property was filed in the Circuit Court of Coffee County, Enterprise Division, Alabama. On or about June 11,

1997, the summons and complaint which instigated this action was The property was seized as fruits of crime, pursuant to Section 13A-11-84 and Section 20-2-93 of the Code of Alabama as amended. The property is in possession of the Twelfth Judicial Court Drug Task Force. The address of the defendant is unknown. It is therefore, ORDERED by the

Court that the owner of the above listed property is directed to appear and plead to or answer the petition in the above styled case by the 15th day of October, 1998, or a judgment by default may be rendered by the Coffee County, Alabama. Court and the money may be disposed of as ORDERED BY THE

DONE this the 5th day of August, /s/JIM ELLIS Circuit Clerk 8-13-20,27;9-3chg MICHAEL ALBERT JOHNSON, PLAINTIFF,

TAMMY MICHELLE JOHNSON, DEFENDANT. IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF

COFFEE COUNTY, ALABAMA **ELBA DIVISION** 

CASE NO. DR 98-54 NOTICE OF PUBLICATION

TO: Tammy Michelle Johnson

You are hereby given that the Plaintiff has filed a complaint for divorce against you in this court and East, and running thence East you are required to appear and plead to or answer the same by the distance of 387 feet to a point; 5th day of October, 1998, or thereafter a default may be rendered tance of 20 feet to the South line of This the 10th day of August,

/s/ JIM ELLIS Circuit Clerk Coffee County, Alabama 8-13,20,27;9-3

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COFFEE COUNTY, ALABAMA ENTERPRISE DIVISION

STATE OF ALABAMA, EX REL., LARRY JARRELL ASSISTANT DISTRICT ATTORNEY,

TWANA JONES AND ELEVEN HUNDRED AND NO/100 IN LAWFUL UNITED STATES URRENCY AND/OR COINAGE,

CASE NUMBER: CV97-233 LEGAL NOTICE

In this case it is made to appear to the Circuit Court by the affidavit of Larry C. Jarrell, Assistant District Attorney for the Twelfth Judicial Circuit Coffee County Alabama, and represents the State of Alabama in this action, that a petition for the condemnation of property was filed in the Circuit Court of Coffee County, Enterprise Division, Alabama, On or about August 22, 1997, the summons and complaint which instigated this action was

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DONE this the 5 day of August, /s/JIM ELLIS Circuit Clerk 8-13-20,27;9-3chg

STATE OF ALABAMA COFFEE COUNTY FORECLOSURE NOTICE

WHEREAS, on March 3, 1994, Arcola B. Lashley, Sr. and wife, Lena E. Lashley, did execute and deliver to SouthTrust Bank of Covington County, N.A., a national banking association, a mortgage on certain real estate hereinafter responsible for any debts other than described, which mortgage appears of record in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Coffee County, Alabama, at Volume 119-A,

Pages 16-20, and, WHEREAS, default has been made in the payment of said Mortgage as provided herein, which default continued at this date and said Mortgage is subject to

NOW. THEREFORE, three weeks notice is hereby given that the undersigned will sell at public outcry for cash, to the highest bidder, in front of the courthouse doors, main entrance, in Elba, Coffee County, Alabama, during the legal hours of sale on September 2, 1998, the real estate being more particularly described as lying and being situated in Coffee County, State of Alabama, to-wit: S1/2 of SE1/4; SE1/4 of the

SW1/4; 17 acres on the East side of SW1/4 of SW1/4 on the East side of Pea River, all in Section 24, T4, R19, containing 137 acres, more or less, including all improvements

ALSO: Begin at the point where the East line of SW1/4 of NW1/4, Section 30, T4N, R20E, intersects the North line of a County Road; thence run West along said North line of a County Road for a distance of 779 feet for the point of beginning of parcel herein conveyed; thence continue along said North line of County Road for a distance of 210 feet to a point; thence run North at right angles to said County Road for a distance of 210 feet to a point; thence turn right angles and run East along a line parallel to above mentioned county road for a distance of 210 feet to a point; thence run South a distance of 210 feet to point of beginning; said parcel of land contains 1.0 acres, more

or less, and lies in the SE1/4 of NW1/4, Section 30, T4N, R20E, TRACT #3 A lot or parcel of land in the SW1/4 of the NW1/4 of Section 30. Township 4, Range 20 East, more particularly described as follows: Begin at the Southwest corner of SW1/4 of the NW1/4 of Section 30, Township 4, Range 20 East; thence East 420 feet, thence North 630 feet, thence West 420 feet; thence South 630 feet along section line to

point of beginning, said lot contain-

North along the West line of said

forty a distance of 455 feet, more or

less, to the point of beginning.

ing 6 acres, more or less.

TRACT #4 One lot or parcel of land containthereon. ing six (6) acres, more or less, lying in and being a part of the NW1/4 of SW1/4 of Section 30, Township 4 PARCEL II North, Range 20 East, in Coffee County, Alabama, and being more particularly described as follows: Beginning at the Northwest corner of the NW1/4 of SW1/4 of Section 30, Township 4 North, Range 20 along the North line of said forty a thence running due South a disan unpaved County road and the Northwest corner of the Arcola B. Lashley and Lena B. Lashley lot thence continuing due South 210 feet to a point; thence running East 420 feet to a point on the West line of the Bludsworth property; thence run due South along the West line of the Bludsworth property a distance of 225 feet to a point; thence running due West a distance of 807 Coffee County, Alabama. feet to a point on the West line of said forty; and thence runnin

particularly described as follows: Begin at the Southwest corner of One lot or parcel of land containing two acres, more or less, lying in and being a part of NW1/4 of SW1/4 SW1/4 of the NW1/4 of Section 30. Township 4, Range 20 East; thence East 420 feet, thence North of Section 30, Township 4 North, Range 20 East, in Coffee County, 630 feet, thence West 420 feet; Alabama, and being more particularly described as follows:
Commencing at a point near the northwest corner of the NW1/4 of SW1/4 of Section 30, Township 4 thence South 630 feet along section line to point of beginning, said lot containing 6 acres, more or less, including all improvements

North, Range 20 East, where the East line of said forty is intersected by the South line of an unpaved county road; thence running in an easterly direction along the South side of said unpaved county road a distance of 387 feet to the point of ning of the parcel herein described; thence from said point of beginning continuing in an easterly direction along the South line of said unpaved county road a dis-tance of 420 feet to a point, which point is the Northwest corner of the James Ronnie Davis lot; thence running due South a distance of 210 feet to a point; thence running in a westerly direction along a line parallel with the South side of said unpaved county road a distance of 420 feet to a point; and thence running due North a distance of 210 feet to the point of beginning. Said parcel of land is bound on the North by said unpaved county road, on the East by lands of James Ronnie Davis, and on the South and West by lands of Ida Kate D. Davis and James Ronnie Davis. Subject to easements, restrictions, and reservations appearing of

Said sale and conveyance will

also be made subject to the legal

a reasonable attorney's fee.

entitled hereto.

INGTON COUNTY, N.A.

PARNELL & CRUM, P.A.

Attorney for Mortgagee Post Office Box 2189

STATE OF ALABAMA

FORECLOSURE NOTICE

COFFEE COUNTY

BY: /s/ Charles N. Parnell, III

334/832-4200 8-13,20,27chg

Montgomery, Alabama 36102-

WHEREAS, on March 31, 1995,

to the point of beginning, including all improvements thereon.

distance of 455 feet, more or less,

rights of existing Federal Tax Liens, and/or Special Assessments, if any, PARCEL V which might adversely affect title to Such sale will be made as provided in said mortgage for the purpose of paying the debt secured by said lying in and being a part of NW1/4 of SW1/4 of Section 30, Township mortgage with interest thereon, any 4 North, Range 20 East, in Coffee County, Alabama, and being more amounts required to be paid for taxes, insurance or other charges particularly described as follows: provided in said mortgage, and the expenses of foreclosure, including SW1/4 of Section 30, Township 4 Said property will be sold on an "as is, where is" basis subject to any East line of said forty is intersected easements, encumbrances, and by the South line of an unpaved exceptions contained in said mortgage and those contained in the records of the Office of the Judge of Probate where the abovecounty road; thence running in an easterly direction along the South described property is situated. Said property will be sold without warranty or recourse, expressed or implied as to title, use and/or enjoyment, and will be sold subject to the right of redemption of all parties SOUTHTRUST BANK OF ALABAa national banking association SOUTHTRUST BANK OF COV-

road, on the East by lands of Ida Kate Davis and James Ronnie PARCEL VI taining 9 acres, more or less, lying in and being a part of the W1/2 o SW1/4 of Section 30, Township 4 North, Range 20 East, in Coffee County, Alabama, and being more Arcola B. Lashley, Sr. and wife, Lena E. Lashley, did execute and deliver to SouthTrust Bank of particularly described as follows: commencing at the northwest cor-Alabama, N.A., a national banking ner of the NW1/4 of SW1/4 of association, a mortgage on certain real estate hereinafter described, Section 30, Township 4 North, Range 20 East and running thence which mortgage appears of record in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Coffee County, Alabama, at South along the West line of said forty a distance of 715 feet to the Volume 125A, Pages 335-39, and, WHEREAS, default has been southwest corner of a parcel of land belonging to Arcola Lashley and Lena E. Lashley, which is the made in the payment of said Mortgage as provided herein, which point of beginning of the parcel default continued at this date and herein described; thence from said point of beginning run East along said Mortgage is subject to foreclothe South line of said Lashley property a distance of 807 feet to a NOW, THEREFORE, three point; thence run South a distance weeks notice is hereby given that the undersigned will sell at public of 486 feet to a point; thence run West 807 feet to a point on the outcry for cash, to the highest bidder, in front of the courthouse West line of said forty; and thence run North along the west line of doors, main entrance, in Elba, said forty a distance of 486 feet to Coffee County, Alabama, during the legal hours of sale on September 2, the point of beginning, including all 1998, the real estate being more cel of land is bound on the North by other lands of Arcola Lashley and Lena E. Lashley, the grantees herein, is bound on the East and

particularly described as lying and being situated in Coffee County, State of Alabama, to-wit: PARCEL 1 S1/2 of SE1/4; SE1/4 of the SW1/4; 17 acres on the East side of SW1/4 of SW1/4 on the East side of Pea River, all in Section 24, T4, R19, containing 137 acres, more or less, including all improvements

Begin at the point where the East line of SW1/4 of NW1/4, Section 30, T4N, R20E, intersects the North line of a County Road; thence run West along said North line of a County Road for a distance of 779 feet for the point of beginning of parcel herein conveyed; thence continue along said North line of County Road for a distance of 210 feet to a point; thence run North at right angles to said County Road for a distance of 210 feet to a point; thence turn right angles and run East along a line parallel to above mentioned county road for a distance of 210 feet to a point; thence run South a distance of 210 feet to point of beginning, and including all improvements thereon; said parcel of land contains 1.0 acres, more or less, and lies in the SE1/4 o NW1/4, Section 30, T4N, R20E,

PARCEL III SW1/4 of the NW1/4 of Section 30,

Township 4, Range 20 East, more ALABAMA, N.A.,

PARCEL IV COUNTY OF COFFEE One lot or parcel of land containing six (6) acres, more or less, NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORElying in and being a part of the NW1/4 of SW1/4 of Section 30, CLOSURE SALE WHEREAS, Arcola Lashley, Sr. and Lena Lashley, husband and wife, executed to The Peoples Township 4 North, Range 20 East, in Coffee County, Alabama, and being more particularly described Bank of Coffee County, on the 6th as follows: Beginning at the Northwest corner of the NW1/4 of day of February, 1995, a Mortgage upon the real estate hereinafte SW1/4 of Section 30, Township 4 described to secure an indebted-North, Range 20 East, and running ness described therein, said Mortgage being recorded in Official Record Book 13A, Page 326 in the thence East along the North line of said forty a distance of 387 feet to Office of the Judge of Probate of Coffee County at Elba, Alabama; a point; thence running due South a distance of 20 feet to the South line of an unpaved County road and the Northwest corner of the WHEREAS, default has been Arcola B. Lashley and Lena B. made in the payment of the indebt-Lashley lot, thence continuing due edness secured by said Mortgage and in the performance of the South 210 feet to a point; thence running East 420 feet to a point on terms of said Mortgage and said default continuing: NOW, THEREFORE, Peoples the West line of the Bludsworth property; thence run due South along the West line of the Bank of Coffee County, the owner Bludsworth property a distance of of said Mortgage, will sell, unde 225 feet to a point; thence running due West a distance of 807 feet to and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, at 3:00 o'clock P.M. on Thursday, a point on the West line of said September 3, 1998, at public aucforty: and thence running North along the West line of said forty a tion, to the highest bidder for cash,

in front of the Courthouse door of

Coffee County, in the City of Elba,

Alabama, the real estate embraced

in said Mortgage described as fol-

TRACT NO. 1

The NW1/4 of NE1/4, the S1/2 of NE1/4, the W1/2 of NE1/4 of NE1/4, and the SE1/4 of NW1/4, of

Section 25; all in Township 4 North, Range 19 East. LESS AND EXCEPT that portion of the Arcola

Lashley, Jr. and Cynthia Lashley,

within the bounds of the W1/2 of

NE1/4 of NE1/4 of said Section 25,

more particularly described as fol-

lows: "A parcel of land containing 2

and one-half acres, more or less,

Section 25, Township 4 North, Range 19 East, and being more

particularly described as follows:

commencing at the southeast cor-ner of the NE1/4 of NE1/4 of

Section 25, and running thence

West along the south line of said

point of beginning; thence continue

West along said forty line for 420 feet; thence North 320 feet; thence

East 420 feet; and thence South

TRACT NO. 2

North, Range 20 East, in Coffee County, Alabama, and being more

particularly described as follows:

line of a county road; thence run

the southeast corner of a parcel of

land belonging to Lena E. Lashley; thence run North at right angles to

for a distance of 210 feet to a point;

line of said Lena Lashley lot a

thence run West along the north

point; thence run East parallel with

said road a distance of 420 feet to

north right of way line of said coun-

NOTE: Said sale, and any con-

veyance made in consummation

thereof, will be made subject to

any existing Federal tax liens, if

any, and/or special assessments, if

debt, together with all expenses of

this sale, including a reasonable

This 10h day of August, 1998.

Peoples Bank of Coffee County

The Owner of Said Mortgage

COFFEE COUNTY, ALABAMA

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE

Letters Testamentary of said

deceased having been granted to

the undersigned on the 12th day of

August, 1998, by the Honorable

William 0. Gammill, Judge of the

by law or the same will be barred.

the title to subject property.

attorney's fee.

13,20,27chg

ELBA DIVISION

DECEASED.

BUNA LEE W. WRIGHT,

CASE NO. PC-98-58

/s/Paula W. Bryan

8- 20,27;9-3chg

Personal Representative

distance of 210 feet to a point;

One lot or parcel of land contain-

situated in the NE1/4 of NE1/4 of

husband and wife, lot which lies

One lot or parcel of land containing two acres, more or less, Commencing at a point near the northwest corner of the NW1/4 of North, Range 20 East, where the side of said unpaved county road a distance of 387 feet to the point of beginning of the parcel herein described; thence from said point of beginning continuing in an easterly direction along the South line of said unpaved county road a distance of 420 feet to a point, which point is the Northwest corner of the James Ronnie Davis lot; thence running due South a distance of 210 feet to a point; thence running in a westerly direction along a line parallel with the South side of said unpaved county road a distance of 420 feet to a point; and thence running due North a distance of 210 feet to the point of beginning, including all improvements thereon. Said parcel of land is bound on

the North by said unpaved county

One lot or parcel of land conovements thereon. Said par-South by other lands of James Ronnie Davis, the grantor herein, and is bound on the West by the west line of said forty.

Subject to easements, restrictions, and reservations appearing of record. Said sale and conveyance will also be made subject to the legal rights of existing Federal Tax Liens, and/or Assessments, if any, which might adversely affect title to subject

Such sale will be made as provided in said mortgage for the purpose of paying the debt secured by said mortgage with interest thereon, any amounts required to be paid for taxes, insurance or other charges provided in said mortgage, and the expenses of foreclosure, including a reasonable attorney's fee. Said property will be sold on an "as is, where is" basis subject to any easements, encumbrances, and exceptions contained in said mortgage and those contained in the records of the Office of the Judge of Probate where the above-described property is situated. Said property will be sold with-

expressed or implied as to title,

use and/or enjoyment, and will be

sold subject to the right of redemp-

tion of all parties entitled hereto.

N THE PROBATE COURT OF COFFEE COUNTY, ALABAMA SOUTHTRUST BANK IN RE: THE ESTATE OF a national banking association PARNELL & CRUM, P.A. EARL ATMORE, DECEASED CASE NO. PC 98-57 BV: /e/ Charles N. Parnell, III NOTICE OF HEARING ON Attorney for Mortgagee Post Office Box 2189 PROBATE OF LAST WILL Montgomery, Alabama 36102-AND TESTAMENT OF EARL ATMORE 334/832-4200 8-13,20,27chg

TO: Al Atmore, Vandel Atmore, and all others having any interest or claim in the estate of Earl Atmore deceased: PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that on August 9th, 1998 Vera Atmore filed in this Court her sworn Petition For Probate Of Will seeking to have admitted to probate the Last Will And Testament of Earl Atmore who deceased December 10, 1995 a resident citizen of this County. The Court has scheduled this matter for hearing in the Coffee County Courthouse at Elba, Alabama on eptember 10, 1998 at 10:00 A.M. The heirs and beneficiaries of this estate named above, and all others having an interest or claim in said estate are invited to

DATED this 12th day of August, /s/ William 0. Gammill Probate Judge 8-20,27;9-3,10chg

FORECLOSURE NOTICE

Default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness described in and secured by that certain mortgage executed by Leslie D. Cameron and wife Annette Cameron to Secretary of Veterans Affairs, an Officer of the United States of America dated the 26th day of August, 1994, and recorded in Book 324, page 128 of the records in the Office of the Judge of Probate, Coffee County, Alabama, which said mortrgage was subsequently assigned to Bankers Trust Company of California, N.A., not in its individual capacity but solely as trustee, or its permitted successors and assigns, on behalf of Vendee Mortgage Trust 1995-1 by instrument recorded in Misc. Book 72, Page 105 of said Probate Court records, notice is hereby given that the undersigned as holder of said mortgage will under power of sale contained in said mortgage, sell at public out-cry for cash to the highest bidder, during legal hours of sale on the 17th day of September, 1998, at forty a distance of 420 feet to the the front door of the Courthouse of Coffee County, Alabama, 230 Court St., Elba, AL 36323, the following described real property in the County of Coffee, State of Alabama, being the same property described in the above referred to Lot 5, Block E, of Seventh Addition to Valley Hills Subdivision, as recorded in Plat Book 2, page 135, Probate Office, Enterprise

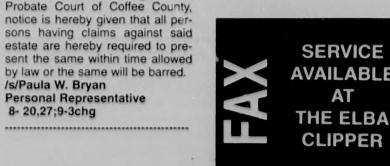
ing 3 acres, more or less, lying in and being a part of the SW1/4 of NW1/4 of Section 30, Township 4 Coffee County, Alabama, LESS AND EXCEPT the following described parcel of land: A triangucommence at the point where the lar shape parcel of land, lying or east line of the SW1/4 of NW1/4 of the west side of Lot 5, Block E in Section 30, Township 4 North, Range 20 East, intersects the north the Seventh Addition to Valley Hills Subdivision, and being more particularly described as follows: West along the north line of said county road a distance of 569 feet Beginning at the Northwest corner of said Lot 5, Block E; thence S3 to the point of beginning of the par-cel herein described; thence from degrees-07' W along said Lot 5 Block E, for a distance of 195.7 fee said point of beginning continue along said north line of the county to the Southwest Corner of said lot 5; thence N89 degrees-44' E along road for a distance of 210 feet to the south boundary of said Lot 5 fo a distance of 18.0 feet; thence N2 degrees-08' W for a distance of 196.2 feet to the Point of said county road (and along the east line of said Lena Lashley lot)

Said sale is made for the purpose of paying the said indebtedness and the expenses incident to this sale, including a reasonable attorney's fee. thence run North 210 feet to a BANKERS TRUST COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA, N.A. a point; and thence run South 420 not in its individual capacity

feet to the point of beginning on the but solely as trustee, or its permitted successors and on behalf of Vendee Mortgage Trust 1995-1 Holder of said Mortgage. Beth McFadden Rouse McFADDEN, LYON & ROUSE, any, which might adversely affect 718 Downtowner Said sale will be made for the Mobile Alabama purpose of realizing the Mortgage 36609 8-20,27;9-3

LEGAL NOTICE

The Elba Zoning Board of Adjustment will meet Sept. 3, 1998, at 5:30 p.m. to hear a request from James R. Martin Jr. to place a mobile home on the Northernmost corner of property belonging to him described as follows: Approximately 2 acres of the S 1/2 of NW 1/4 of Section 31, Township 6 North, Range 20 East, lying West of the Elba-Brantley Paved Highway (Alabama 189) Property joins South line of proper ty belonging to Mr. Leroy Lawford. This property is presently zoned R-8-27;9-3chg



### MORE LEGALS

STATE OF ALABAMA COFFEE COUNTY FORECLOSURE NOTICE

WHEREAS, on April 25, 1994, Jernigan, did execute and deliver to namely, to-wit: SouthTrust bank of Covington the Office of the Judge of Probate of Coffee County, Alabama, at Mortgage Book 120-A,Page 196-200, and,

default continued at this date and thence N 260 feet to a point; thence said Mortgage is subject to foreclo- East 730 feet to a point; thence S NOW, THEREFORE, three weeks Quarter line of SE 1/4 of SE 1/4,

sale on September 23, 1998, the 1/4 of Section 4, T5N, R19E, ii. real estate being more particularly Coffee County, Alabama, heretofore described as lying and being situat- conveyed to L.F. Capps, by grantor, ed in Coffee County, State of and being more particularly Alabama, to-wit: A lot or parcel of land containing at the SW corner of SE 1/4 of SE 1/4 6.2 acres, more or less, lying in and of Section 4, T5N, R19E, and runbeing a part of the S1/2 of the SE ning thence East along the South

1/4 of Section 4, Township 5 North, line of said forty a distance of 630 Range 19 East, in Coffee County, feet to the Point of Beginning or the Alabama, being more particularly parcel herein described. (Which described as follows: Beginning at the Southeast corner of the SW 1/4 of Section 4, Township 5 described as follows: Beginning at point is also the SE corner of a particle of I and presently owned by L.F. Capps); thence continuing in an North, Range 19 East, and running Easterly direction along the south West along the South line of said line of said forty a distance of 150 forty a distance of 100 feet to a feet to a point, which last mentioned point; thence running North along point is the NE corner of property the line parallel with the east line of belonging to L.F. Capps; thence runsaid SW 1/4 of SE 1/4 a distance of ning South along the L.F. Capps 300 feet to a point; thence running land line a distance of 140 feet to the East along a line parallel with the Point of Beginning. south line of said SW 1/4 of SE 1/4 c.) One lot or parcel of land cona distance of 100 feet to the east line of said forty; thence continuing East along a line parallel with the south 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Section 4, T5N, line of the SE 1/4 of SE 1/4 of R19E, in Coffee County, Alabama Section 4, Township 5 North, Range and being more particularly 19 East, a distance of 800 feet to a described as follows: Commencing point; thence running South parallel at the SW corner of the SE 1/4 of SE with the west line of said SE 1/4 of 1/4 of Section 4, T5N, R19E, and SE 1/4 a distance of 300 feet to a running thence N along the West point on the south line of said SE 1/4 line of said forty a distance of 160 along the south line of said SE 1/4 of erty; thence running East along the

located thereon. way, mineral and mining rights and said forty a distance of 20 feet to a other matters of record recorded in point; thence running North along a the Office of the Judge of Probate, line parallel with the West line of the Office of the Judge of Probate, Elba, Coffee County, Alabama.

line parallel with the West line of said forty a distance of 300 feet to a 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Section 4,

and/or Special Assessments, if any, Beginning which might adversely affect title to subject property. ed in said mortgage for the purpose of paying the debt secured by said amounts required to be paid for lying and being situated between the taxes, insurance or other charges East forty line and a settlement road

provided in said mortgage, and the on the West. Said property will be sold on an SE 1/4 of Section 4, Township 5 "as is, where is" basis subject to any North, Range 19 East, in Coffee easements, encumbrances, and County, Alabama, and containing exceptions contained in said mort- one acre, more or less, and being gage and those contained in the records of the Office of the Judge of Probate where the above-described East ROW margin of said road property is situated. Said property where the NW corner of the David will be sold without warranty or Baker lot intersects the said East 8.13 acres, more or less. recourse, expressed or implied as to margin of said road, said Baker title, use and/or enjoyment, and will deed being recorded in the Office of be sold subject to the right of the Judge of Probate in Elba. redemption of all parties entitled Alabama, in Deed Book 80A, Page

SOUTHTRUST BANK OF ALABAMA, N.A., a national banking association f/k/a SOUTHTRUST BANK OF COVINGTON COUNTY COUNTY, N.A. PARNELL & CRUM, P.A. BY; /s/ Charles N. Parnell, III Attorney for Mortgagee Post Office Box 2189 Montgomery, Alabama 36102-334/832-4200 8-27;9-3,10chg

STATE OF ALABAMA COFFEE COUNTY FORECLOSURE NOTICE

WHEREAS, on July 26, 1994, James Jernigan and wife, Betty S. Jernigan, did execute and deliver to SouthTrust Bank of Covington County, N.A., a national banking association, a mortgage on certain real estate hereinafter described, which mortgage appears of record in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Coffee County, Alabama, at Volume 122-A, Page 34-38, and, WHEREAS, default has been made in the payment of said Mortgage as provided herein, which default continued at this date and

said Mortgage is subject to foreclo-NOW, THEREFORE, three weeks notice is hereby given that the undersigned will sell at public outcry for cash, to the highest bidder, in front of the courthouse doors, main entrance, in Elba, Coffee County, Alabama, during the legal hours of sale on September 23, 1998, the real estate being more particularly described as lying and being situated in Coffee County, State of Alabama, too-wit:

PARCEL I. The SE 1/4 of the SE expenses of foreclosure, including a BY: /s/ Charles N. Parnell, III 1/4 of Section 4, T5N, R19E, Coffee reasonable attorney's I County, Alabama, including all mprovements thereon, LESS AND "as is, where is" basis subject to any Montgomery, Alabama 36102-EXCEPT those parcels of land easements, encumbrances, and 2189 James S. Jernigan and wife, Sue J. heretofore conveyed by grantor, exceptions contained in said mort- 334/832-4200 8-27;9-3,10chg namely, to-wit:

a.) A lot or parcel of land heretorecords of the Office of the Judge of County, N.A., a national banking fore conveyed to L.F. Capps and Probate where the above-described association, a mortgage on certain real estate hereinafter described, which mortgage appears of record in wife Hazel Capps, located and described as follows: Commencing at a point in the SE corner of SW 1/4

WHEREAS, default has been along the Capps lot of land, thence SOUTHTRUST BANK OF made in the payment of said
Mortgage as provided herein, which
Mortgage as provided he f/k/a SOUTHTRÚST BANK OF COVINGTON 140 feet to a point on the South COUNTY, N.A. PARNELL & CRUM, P.A. notice is hereby given that the Section 4; thence W along said BY: /s/ Charles N. Parnell, III

undersigned will sell at public outcry for cash, to the highest bidder, in Beginning.

Quarter line 630 feet to the point of Post Office Box 2189 tront of the courthouse doors, main b.) A lot or parcel of land contain- Montgomery, Alabama 36102entrance, in Elba, Coffee County, ing one-half acre, more or less lying 2189
Alabama, during the legal hours of and being a part of the SE 1/4 of SE 334/832-4200 8-27;9-3,10chg STATE OF ALABAMA COFFEE COUNTY described as follows: Commenci FORECLOSURE NOTICE James S. Jernigan and Betty Sue Jernigan, husband and wife, did

Bank of Covington County, N.A., a tems. national banking association, a NO mortgage on certain real estate hereinafter described, which mortgage appears of record in the Office f the Judge of Probate of Coffee County, Alabama, at Mortgage Book 114-A, Page 162-165, and, WHEREAS, said mortgage was amended by Amendment of Mortgage dated May 31, 1995, which amendment appears of record of Coffee County, Alabama, at OR Book 1A, Page 32, and, WHEREAS, default has been made in the payment of said said Mortgage is subject to foreclo-

NOW, THEREFORE, three weeks sent of Rural Development, the Federal agency which administers of SE 1/4; and thence running West feet to the North line of Capps prop-notice is hereby given that the Federal agency which administers rural utilities services loans and undersigned will sell at public outcry rural utilities services loans and SE 1/4 to the southwest corner of the SE 1/4, which is the same point as the point of begin
North line of Capps property, and parallel with the South line of said forty, a distance of 780 feet to a same point as the point of begin
North line of Capps property, and parallel with the South line of said for cash, to the highest bidder, in front of the courthouse doors, main forty, a distance of 780 feet to a same point as the point of begin
South along the southwest corner of the southwest corner of parallel with the South line of said for cash, to the highest bidder, in front of the courthouse doors, main forty, a distance of 780 feet to a same point as the point of begin
South along the southwest corner of the south line of Said Figure 1. ning. Together with three chicken point; thence running South along Alabama, during the legal hours of cycle after completion of the houses and other improvements the East line of the Capps property a sale on September 23, 1998, the improvements to the sanitary serdistance of 160 feet to a point on the real estate being more particularly vice system financed by the Rural Utilities Service Loan and Grant. This conveyance is subject to all South line of said forty; thence runeasements, restrictions, rights-ofning East along the South line of said forty; thence runeasements, restrictions, rights-ofning East along the South line of said forty; thence runeasements are state being more particularly vice system injuncted by the Hurdescribed as lying and being situation. Utilities Service Loan and Grant. ed in Coffee County, State o Alabama, too-wit: PARCEL NO. 1: A parcel of land August, 1998.

Subject to easements, restrictions, and reservations appearing of line parallel with the South line of Coffee County, Alabama, being said forty a distance of 800 feet to a more particularly described as fol-Said sale and conveyance will point; and thence running South lows: Commencing at the northwest also be made subject to the legal along the West line of said forty a corner of the NW 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of rights of existing Federal Tax Liens, distance of 160 feet to the Point of said Section 4; thence South 88 degrees 27' 34" East 1327.31 feet to **Donnie Morrow** PARCEL II. Also, two (2) acres of the point of beginning of the parcel land lying and being situated in the Such sale will be made as provid
NE corner of SW 1/4 of SE 1/4 of South 88 degrees 27' 34" East

Section 4, T5N, R19E, Coffee 533.10 leet; thence South 19 County, Alabama, including all of paying the debt secured by said County, Alabama, including all mortgage with interest thereon, any improvements thereon. Said land improvements thereon belong situated between the West 116.91 feet, thence South 36 degrees 33' 41" West 384.86 feet expenses of foreclosure, including a reasonable attorney's fee.

LESS AND EXCEPT: A lot or parcel of land lying in the SW 1/4 of the side of an unpaved county road; thence along the northwest side of said unpaved county road South 36 degrees 05' 02" West 147.82 feet and south 40 degrees 58' 34" West 75.87 feet; thence leaving said unpaved county road North 09 degrees 36' 14" East 1064.11 feet to the point of beginning, containing

PARCEL NO. II: The NW 1/4 of NE 1/4 of Section 4, T5N, R19E, containing 40 acres, more or less, in Coffee County, Alabama. 697, thence running North along the LESS AND EXCEPT: The NW 1/4 East ROW margin of said dirt road of NE 1/4 of Section 4, T5N, R19E, for 170 feet; thence Easterly for 260 feet; thence Southerly for 170 feet; Coffee County, Alabama. thence Westerly for 260 feet along This conveyance is subject to all easements, restrictions, rights-of-

the North boundary line of the Baker lot to the Point of Beginning. LESS AND EXCEPT: A lot or parway, mineral and mining rights and other matters of record recorded in cel of land lying in the SW 1/4 of the the Office of the Judge of Probate, Elba, Coffee County, Alabama. SE 1/4 of Section 4, Township 5 North, Range 19 East, in Coffee Subject to easements, restric-County, Alabama, and containing tions, and reservations appearing of one acre, more or less, and being more particularly described as fol-Said sale and conveyance will lows: Commencing at a point on the also be made subject to the legal East ROW margin of said road rights of existing Federal Tax Liens where the NW corner of the David and/or Special Assessments, if any, Baker lot intersects the said East which might adversely affect title to margin of said road, said Baker subject property.
Such sale will be made as provid-

deed being recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate in Elba, Alabama, in Deed Book 80-A, Page ed in said mortgage for the purpose of paying the debt secured by said 697, thence running North along the East ROW margin of said dirt road mortgage with interest thereon, any amounts required to be paid for for 170 feet; thence Easterly for 260 taxes, insurance or other charges feet; thence Southerly for 170 feet; provided in said mortgage, and the thence Westerly for 260 feet along the North boundary line of the Baker expenses of foreclosure, including a reasonable attorney's fee. Said property will be sold on an This conveyance is subject to all "as is, where is" basis subject to any easements, encumbrances, and exceptions contained in said mort-

easements, restrictions, rights-ofway, mineral and mining rights and other matters of record recorded in gage and those contained in the records of the Office of the Judge of the Office of the Judge of Probate, Elba, Coffee County, Alabama. Probate where the above-described Subject to easements, restricproperty is situated. Said property will be sold without warranty or tions, and reservations appearing of recourse, expressed or implied as to Said sale and conveyance will title, use and/or enjoyment, and will rights of existing Federal Tax Liens, and/or Special Assessments, if any,

lot to the Point of Beginning.

which might adversely affect title to

mortgage with interest thereon, any

taxes, insurance or other charges

subject propert

Such sale will be made as provid- SOUTHTRUST BANK OF ed in said mortgage for the purpose of paying the debt secured by said banking association f/k/a banking association f/k/a SOUTHTRUST BANK OF amounts required to be paid for COVINGTON COUNTY, N.A. provided in said mortgage, and the PARNELL & CRUM, P.A.

easonable attorney's fee.

Said property will be sold on an

Attorney for Mortgagee
Post Office Box 2189 AN ORDINANCE SETTING

SEWER RATES FOR COMMERI-CAL USERS ORDINANCE NO: 98-8 WHEREAS, the City Council for the City of Elba, Alabama having made application for a Subsequen Direct Rural Utilities Service Loan and having made application for Rural Utilities Services Grant for the

improvement and expansion of the current sanitary sewage system. WHEREAS, Rural Development the agency which administers programs on behalf of rural utilities services, has placed conditions upon the City of Elba in order to qualify for

certain loans and grants. WHEREAS, one condition for the City of Elba to qualify for a Subsequent Direct Rural Utilities Services Loan in the amount of Services Loan in the Amount o \$2.279,000.00 and a Rural Utilities Services Grant in the amount of \$461,000,00 the City of Elba must adopt and maintain a sanitary sewer rate that will provide sufficient income to meet debt service of the

loan, to maintain required reserves, execute and deliver to SouthTrust and to operate and maintain the sys-NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Elba, Alabama as follows: CHAPTER 78, ARTICLE II, SEC-TION 78-42 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES, OF THE CITY OF ELBA, ALABAMA IS HEREBY AMENDED AS SET

FORTH IN FULL AS FOLLOWS: D. There shall be imposed upon all commercial, and industrial users in the Office of the Judge of Probate of the sanitary sewer system rates per month. \$2.00 per 1,000 gallons THIS THE 24th DAY OF AUGUST, based upon water usage according per month...\$ 1.10 per 1,000 gallons First 3,000 gallons of water usage per month \$14.00 minimum Mortgage as provided herein, which default continued at this date and said Mortgage is subject to fee and said Mortgage is subject to fee. changed without prior written con-E. This rate schedule shall not be changed without prior written con-

vice system financed by the Rural

ADOPTED this 24th day of

6 votes in favor, 0 votes against.

AN ORDINANCE MAKING **CONNECTION TO PUBLIC** SANITARY SEWER SYSTEM MANDATORY ORDINANCE NO: 1998-9

BE IT ORDAINED by the City of Council of the City of Elba, Alabama The Code of Ordinances is hereb amended by adding to Chapter 78, lished and declared that the follow Article II a new section to be numing described real property of the

bered 78-46 which shall read as fol-SECTION 78-46 CONNECTION MANDATORY WHEN SEWER

ACCESSIBLE (a) It shall be unlawful for any person, corporation or legal entity to refuse or fail to connect with a public sewer within thirty (30) days from containing 40 acres, more or less, in the receipt of written notice by the city engineer or the county board of health to so connect whenever such public sewer and a public water supply are reasonably accessible. Such public sewer and public water supply shall be deemed to be reasonably accessible when such public water supply and public sewer are within a distance of 150 feet of any outside line on the lot upon which an dwelling or other building is located, provided such sewer can be reached without crossing the property of another. When such property or premises is not subdivided into lots and so designated on available surveys or maps of record, the distance shall be deemed to apply to the nearest portion of such dwelling or

(b) This section shall apply to all person, corporation or legal entity and property within the city. (c) Penalties: A violation of this section by any person, corporation or legal entity shall constitute a misdemeanor. Any person, corporation or legal entity who violates this section shall be punished as provided in Section 1-6.

ADOPTED this 24th day o August, 1998. 6 votes in favor, 0 votes against.

James Grimes ATTEST: Donnie Morrow City Clerk 8-27-chg AN ORDINANCE SETTING SEWER RATES FOR RESIDENTIAL USERS **ORDINANCE NO: 98-7** 

or on the state of the state of

WHEREAS, the City Council for the City of Elba, Alabama having made application for a Subsequent Direct Rural Utilities Service Loan and having made application for Rural Utilities Services Grant for the improvement and expansion of the current sanitary sewage system.

vices, has placed conditions upon the City of Elba in order to qualify for certain loans and grants.

Services Grant in the amount of \$461,000.00 the City of Elba must loan, to maintain required reserves and to operate and maintain the sys-

NOW THEREFORE BE IT CHAPTER 78, ARTICLE II, SEC-TION 78-41 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES, OF THE CITY OF ELBA, ALABAMA

IS HEREBY AMENDED AS SET FORTH IN FULL AS FOLLOWS: First 2,000 gallons of water usage (\$7,500.00).

per month... \$8.00 minimum Next 3,000 gallons of water usage Next 7,000 gallons of water usage Over 12,000 gallons of water PRESIDING OFFICER usage per month No additional James Grimes B. This rate schedule shall not be

grants.
C. The new rate schedule shall become effective the first billing cycle after completion of the improvements to the sanitary ser-

James Grimes Mayor ATTEST:

**Donnie Morrow** 

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13, Township 5 North- Range 19 East; thence South 89° 16' 52" West 62.66 feet to a point on the West right-of-way line of Larkin Road; WHEREAS, Rural Development thence South 00° 43' 17" East the agency which administers programs on behalf of rural utilities ser-line; thence South 84° 23' 53" West 535.30 feet to an iron rod, the point of beginning; thence South 00°23' 43" West 418.00 feet to an iron rod; WHEREAS, one condition for the thence South 88° 28' 53" West City of Elba to qualify for a 312.78 feet to an iron rod; thence Subsequent Direct Rural Utilities North 00° 23' 43" East 418.00 feet to Services Loan in the amount of an iron rod; thence 88° 28' 53" East \$2,279,000.00 and a Rural Utilities 312.78 feet iron rod; the point of beginning. Said parcel lies wholly within the Northeast 1/4 of the Northeast 1/4, Section 13, Township

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acres, more or less, situated in the

City of Elba, Coffee County,

Alabama, and more particularly

described as follows: Commencing

at the Northeast corner of Section

SECTION 2. That the Mayor and the City Clerk be, and they hereby are, authorized and directed to exe-ORDAINED by the City Council of cute and attest, respectively, for and on behalf of the City of Elba, Alabama, a warranty deed, a copy of which is on file in the Office of the City Clerk, whereby the City of Elba, Alabama, does convey the premises described in Section 1, hereof to A. There shall be imposed upon Couch Construction, a limited partall residential household users of the nership for and in consideration of sanitary sewersystem rates based the sum of SEVENTY FIVE HUNupon water usage according to the DRED AND NO/100 DOLLARS

ADOPTED AND APPROVED

**Donnie Morrow** 

City Clerk

August, 1998.

6 votes in favor, 0 votes against.

City Clerk 8-27-1tc

FOR MUNICIPAL PURPOSES **ORDINANCE NO: 1998-6** BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY

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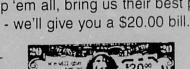
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**TOMS**, both students at the University of Alabama, recently were honored

in the 1998-99 Coffee County Farmers Federation competitions.

Katherine, daughter of Dale and Joan Marsh, was crowned the new Miss

School and a member of Alabama's Kappa Delta sorority. Chris won the

Coffee County talent contest, with a vocal solo to "Memory" from

will travel to Mobile in December to compete for Miss Alabama

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You might think that is a crazy cull everything that is open. This is

question, but people who utilize a more harsh way and a quicker way

control breeding seasons, market, to get to where you would like to

on the average, the equivalent of be. But for many herds, it's the most

and time again, through extensive years has probably worked the best

data collection and research. is to shorten the breeding season

controlled breeding season in and evolve into a controlled breed-

ket the equivalent of two more involve preg checking into the mix

calves than the herd that is not on a of practices to get the her in line

controlled breeding season, with the schedule you want. If a

Therefore, if you sell two 600-LB veterinarian charges \$4.00 a head to

calves and receive 60 cents a pound pregnancy check and you have 100

for them, that is an additional 720 cows, that is \$400. All they have to

There is no question that the first have more than paid for their ser-

major step in establishing profitable vices. If they find none of them

management in the brood cow herd, open, then you have the assurance

There are four ways you can ing a profitable cattle herd, it is

accomplish that. One way is to extremely important that you con-

determine when the majority of sider a controlled breeding season.

do this by pregnancy-checking all 80 days with heifers bred 3 to 4

females that are exposed to bulls weeks ahead of the cattle herd.

when your cows naturally calve. the extra time to recover. Cows bred

You can cull those that are bad out over an 80-day period have roughly

your season more to the time of year given that their cycles are roughly

that you would like to have it. 20 to 21 days. A cow in good body

Another way is to shorten the condition, in good general health,

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son length that you desire.

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two more calves than people who practical way.

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#### **Helpful Hints From Your County Agents**

by ANGELA HUGHES County Extension Agent

BECOMING INVOLVED IN YOUR CHILD'S SCHOOLING I have used this information before but I'm repeating it because the infor-

mation is still important. Returning to school is a time of great anticipation and sometimes great

anxiety for children and parents alike. As our children go back to school, it's time for us to return too; we need to become re-involved in our children's school experience.

Our involvement in our child's education includes three elements: our family environment, our interest in our child's learning, and our partnership with our child's school. Let's look at each of these:

•Establish a family environment that promotes learning. Clearly, education begins at home. Children begin to develop attitudes toward learning before they enter schools. A good way for parents to encourage learning is by being good examples of knowledge-seeking themselves. This sends the message that "knowledge and learning are important."

•The items in our home, as well as the way in which space and time are used, also send a message. For instance, is there a variety of quality books in your home for the children to read and gain knowledge from? Is there a place in the home where children can study, free from distraction? Some families have found it useful to designate one room as a "study hall" during a specified time, where children and parents can quietly pursue individual projects. The way in which the family spends its evening time also may need to be adjusted in order to send the pro-learning message desired. •Be interested in what children are learning. Several ways to show interest are asking them what they are learning at school during the day, being available to help with homework, and giving feedback to children on their

•Establish a partnership with the child's school. Studies show that when schools and parents fail to work together for children, the children are the losers. Some surveys report that as many as 75 percent of parents never visit their child's school. Without an effective parent-school partnership, we place children at risk for increased discipline problems and lower academic achievement. With each passing decade, academic achievement in primary and secondary school becomes more critical.

Here are ten guidelines for building a strong partnership: 1. Find a positive way to get to know your child's teacher early in the year. One appropriate time would be during an open house. Establish early

Coffee County Agriculture. She is a 1997 graduate of Enterprise High a pattern of open communication directed toward meeting your child's edu-

2. Let the teacher and principal know when you are pleased with some-Broadway's CATS. He is a 1998 honor graduate of Enterprise High School, thing one of them has done. Be specific. Everyone needs to be recognized and is the son of Dianne Jenkins and Michael Bottoms. Katherine and Chris for a job well done.

3. If your requests and suggestions do not get the response you had hoped Agriculture and Alabama's Talent. for, be persistent. Find another way to describe your idea. You may be ahead of your time, and it may take time for the school to react fully to your

4. Offer no more than you can deliver. It is better to keep a weekly volunteer commitment than to back out of a daily commitment. 5. Describe your idea, suggestion, or concern briefly. Specify two or three alternate responses that would be acceptable to you, and leave the

way open for the school to offer other ideas. 6. Put yourself in the teachers or principal's shoes. How would you respond? Try to do this before you make suggestions or comments.

7. School administrators who ask tough but fair questions at the beginning of a proposed project, may turn out to be one of its best supporters. Try not to be defensive. 8. Teachers have prepared many years for their work. They are more likedonot. This has been proven time. The one thing that through the

ly to be open to parent involvement if they know you respect their training and contributions. Ask teachers for their suggestions. 9. When you have a complaint, discuss it with someone who is responsi-

ble for it rather than with your neighbors. 10. Never pit teachers against school administrators. Students will be the Alabama, year in and year out, maring season. I would certainly

> SUSAN TAYLOR Extension Agent/NEP

**PACKING NUTRITIOUS LUNCHES** 

Lots of people take their lunch to work or school. Whether you do so for convenience or to save money, remember a few guidelines to guarantee your lunch is tasty and nutritious.

First, choose a variety of foods from the major food groups. Keep calories in mind. Fats and sugars can add more calories quickly. Also, when is to define a breeding and calving that all your cows are settled. packing a lunch, limit high-fat foods such as mayonnaise, and choose lowsodium foods such as fruits, vegetables, lean meat and poultry. Be creative - to help avoid boredom. If you usually include a sandwich,

use other kinds of bread such as pita bread or bagels sometimes instead of regular loaf bread. Instead of the same old lettuce or tomato in your sand- cows in the herd will calve. You can A good length of time to shoot for is wich, experiment with other low-fat, low-calorie add-ons. Try sprouts, cucumbers, onions, apples, pineapple or shredded carrots. If you have access to a microwave and/or a refrigerator, hot lunches can and adjust your season according to Heifers cycle back slower and need

break the monotony of sandwich lunches. For example, single servings of leftovers can be frozen in a lunch-size freezer container and can be microwaved for lunch. Other ideas for hot meals are spaghetti, macaroni of sync and move toward adjusting four shots at becoming pregnant, Even if you don't have a microwave at the office, you can still enjoy a

hot lunch. Pull out of the pantry your wide-mouthed vacuum bottle or buy a new one. These are great for taking hot or cold foods to work. Tired of sandwiches and hot lunches? There are lots of tasty low-fat ideas each year until your goal is reached. length of time. A profitable herd for cold lunches. Try combining low-fat yogurt with fresh fruit. A chef salad with lean meat, low-fat cheese and low-calorie dressing is a good choice. Cold pasta salads or vegetables marinated in herb salad dressing are

#### Peanut Producers receive Checks

GFA Peanut Association mailed checks totaling \$59,459,317.45 on Aug. 1, 1998, to 4,935 peanut farms in the Southeast for the 1997 crop of peanuts marketed by the Association, according to Dykes Adkison, GFA Director, of Elba.

The monies returned represented the profits and interest on 162,919 tons of peanuts placed into loan by producers from the 1997 crop. In addition, interest earned on the profits in the amount of \$2,057,668.56 is included on the checks mailed, Adkison said. GFA has served southeastern peanut farmers since it was organized and chartered in 1937. A membership fee or cost is not required to be a member of the Association; the producer automatically becomes a member by placing peanuts into loan through GFA.

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should be lapping. You want good tainly a big factor to consider before vegetative growth before spraying. using Classic. Classic gives a growth reduction. It 7. Classic is recommended to be turns the peanuts yellow and for 7- sprayed with flat fan nozzles at 40 growth before spraying.

stress you may want to hold up on burn of bristly starbur, you can add research has not shown Classic to silicone type surfactant has been affect the overall yield or grade of shown to reduce growth. Again, the peanuts. Under drought stress it include a non-ionic surfactant in is also hard to kill a beggarweed. addition to the fertilize.

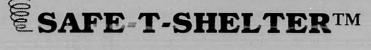
3. Good control of Florida beg- only garweed (less than 10 inches tall) 10. Classic is a slow kill herbi; taller than 10 inches or if they are start to see results. or suppression will result. Classic lem on spraying Classic. will also control other small weeds 12. As a precaution do not apply

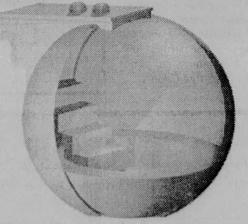
common ragweed. Southern Runners have pegged problems. down good before spraying. You \*Alabama Cotton Field Expo should wait at least 75-80 days after is being held today - Thursday Aug. ground cracking.

with Butoxone and Bravo formula- Huntsville, 7:30 am. - 4 p.m. tions except sulfur- containing for- \*Kinston Young Farmers - will mulations. Combinations of Classic meet at Ino Baptist Church Monday, plus 2,4-DB result in significantly Aug. 24, at 7 p.m. more foliar crop injury compared to

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most important to follow the label- control of yellow nutgrass, morning ing. Hopefully some of these rea- glory, bristly starbur, and but sons will help you to understand gherkin. why. The following points should 6. Before making a Classic appli-

be considered before using Classic cation, review the recropping interval for planting subsequent crops. 1. Make only one application of With small grains there is a 3-month Classic at the rate of 0.5 ounce of interval and an 8-month interval product per acre. Always add a non- with corn. If you spray Classic, for onic surfactant to the Classic spray example, on July 15, wait until Oct mix at the rate of 1 qt. per 100 gal- 15 to plant your small grains and March 15 on your corn. Do not 2. Classic application can be ignore these recropping restrictions. made 60 to 100 days after peanut unless you want to risk not getting a emergence to within 45 days of har-stand. Some growers have tried to vest. At 60 days under ideal envi- fudge on these restrictions and have ronmental conditions peanuts suffered poor stands. This is cer-

10 days there will be no flowers; so psi, but when using Bravo go ahead be sure you have some good vine and spray with your regular Bravo spray equipment at 80 psi. If your peanuts are under drought 8. For a little extra control and spraying the Classic. When sprayed 2 lbs. of Feed Grade Urea or at the correct time, even though Ammonium Sulfate per acre of there are no flowers for 7-10 days, application. Also, the addition of

Classic is a systematic, and unless 9. Classic is labeled for ground the beggarweed is growing it won't and air but is recommended to be take up much of the chemicals. applied with ground equipment

can be expected. If beggarweeds are cide. Expect 7-10 days before you flowering, then only partial control 11. Cloudy weather is not a prob-

such as sicklepod and cocklebur Classic if anticipating a stress periand help control morning glory and od such as a drought after spraying. Observing these points is very 4. Classic is now labeled for use important. However, using Classic County Extension Agent pregnancy check all females. Then on Southern Runner Peanuts but correctly can really give you the you need to be careful that your upper hand on Florida Beggarweed

20, at the Tennessee Valley 5. Classic may be tank-mixed Substation in Belle Mina, near

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hlades. He also recommended that chase of a bus for the center.

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sioners approve the "running own money and bought these buses. tery can be started at the church. through" the county's payroll system of a part-time employee for the uvenile Probation Office. Mobley stated that this is strictly an accounting procedure and that the JPO would be invoiced for the employee's salary and taxes at the end of each pay period. The administrator also asked that

the commissioners give the chairman authority to enter into a lease agreement with the Pike County Commission for a vehicle to be used by the sheriff's deputy assigned to the 12th judicial Circuit Drug Task Force. All the funding for the Drug Task Force is administered through the Pike County Commission. The 12th Judicial Circuit is made up of

Coffee and Pike counties. Commission Chairman Robert Stephens gave commissioners a bit of good news. He told them that the county had received a check for \$1,000 from the county's liability insurance carrier due to the fact that had an outstanding safety record for young ladies at Hardees who served his traveling staff with refreshthe County Highway Department had the year. Coffee County was one of ments.

thirteen out of sixty-seven counties in Elba City School attendance is

climbing The Elba City School system attendance continues to rebound from the loss of students immediately after the March 8th flood. Families were forced to move from the Elba school zone when their homes were swamped with the Sunday morning flood waters and they could find no other place to

live locally. The daily attendance at the end of the school year was still down 40 students, at 1048, from the enrollment immediately before the flood. In August, Superintendent Charles Pearce projected enrollment for the beginning of school at 1069, due to pre-contacts from prospective high school students and a projected kindergarten class of 92 students.

However, the actual number of students on roll as of August 14, 1998 was three higher than expected, at 1072. There were 607 students in the elementary and 465 attending high school on that date. Pearce said he is optimistic the attendance will continue to recover as more families return and new people move into the local area to take advantage of the strong job market and ideal family environment available in Coffee County.

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an air conditioning system in the The final item of discussion was a ought to treat all the senior citizens Ed Short said phone numbers Board of Registrars office. They also request from the Enterprise Senior centers the same," commented play a vital role in the success of the automated system. While ng system in the Community Room sion by Commissioner Doug After a brief discussion, the comCovington Electric Cooperative has where the commission meets.

Dalrymple. He recommended in the mission approved Dalrymple's original a large percentage of accounts with phone numbers on file, there are requests be sent out on motorgrader contribute \$2,500 toward the pur- Stephens' amendment failing to get a some still missing. "We encourage our consumers to

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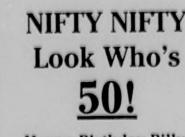
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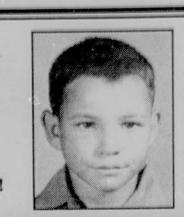
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County Administrator Wilson County (Elba, New Hope, Kinston & Damascus) be given \$2,500.00.

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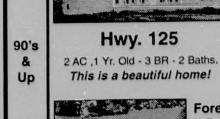


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(I-r): Scott Adcock, Public Information Manager for AEMA; Lee Helms, Helms the award at the annual con-Director of Alabama Emergency Management Agency; Horace H. Horn Jr., vention of the Association of State Director of USDA Rural Development

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## Red Cross urges prepardness for hurricanes

#### With the peak of hurricane season and Warning approaching in the month of A hurricane watch means a hurri- ly September, the American Red Cross cane is possible in the area. Keep •Volunteer in advance to receive

fall as well," said Eileen Lewis, day.

"The only defense we have for a hurricane is good preparation," said Mrs. Lewis. "We encourage Alabamians to think ahead and prepare their homes, businesses, and families for the possibility of a hur-

ricane this year." Some of the things the Red Cross suggests to prepare for a hurricane:

•A Disaster Supplies Kit -Include a battery-powered radio, flashlight, extra batteries, a first aid kit, canned food and can opener, bottled water (at least three gallons of water per day), prescription medications, and rainwear. Store food that doesn't require heating and any items you may need for infants, elderly or disabled family members.

•A Family Communication Plan Designate a friend or relative outside your town or area as your family contact in the event you are separated from family members during a hurricane or if it knocks out your

#### ·If planning to be on the coast, be sure to have an evacuation

Identify where you could go if told to evacuate. Red Cross evacuation shelters will be set up, and identification of these shelters posted on interstates Choose a place for all family members to meet if you are separated. Designate someone outside the area in which you live to act as a point of contact for your family members.

•Remove dead or diseased branches and limbs now -Now is the time to cut back and

dispose of dead or diseased branches and limbs from trees and tall shrubs so they do not break off and become missiles during high winds. When a storm is approaching, it is too late to do this, because trash pickup services are often not available or are assigned to other stormpreparedness duties.

·Listen to local authorities and stay alert to broadcasts -If local authorities ask you to

leave, do so right away. You will need as much time as possible to evacuate, due to higher-than-usual traffic volumes. Listen to NOAA Weather Radio and local television broadcasts for the latest information about the storm.

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urges preparedness throughout the listening to NOAA Weather Radio, training as a Red Cross disaster local radio or local television for worker The Red Cross depends on "Of course, South Alabama updated information. Hurricanes trained volunteers to open evacuawould suffer the brunt of a hurri- can change direction, speed, and tion shelters throughout the state, as cane's wind and rain, but other areas gain strength very quickly. It's well as to assess the damage and could be affected by spin-off torna- important to keep listening for help survivors after the storm in does, strong wind, and heavy rain- updated information several times a affected areas. The local Red Cross chapter will provide simple training Manager of Programs and Services A hurricane warning means a on the way to help others in need for the Birmingham area chapter. hurricane will soon occur in the during a disaster situation.

Director Horace Horn Jr. presented

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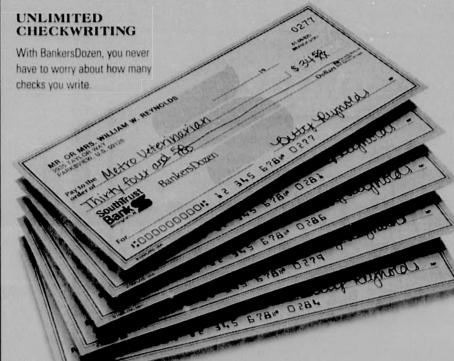
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